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TAXES APPORTIONED BY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

EQUALIZATION COMES THE NEAREST TO GIVING SATISFACTION.

Rhinelander Gets Thirty-four Per Cent. of the Total Valuation—Hazelhurst and Woodboro Get off With Eighteen and Fourteen—Advancement Association Gets an Appropriation—Other Business.

The members of county board adjourned Saturday after an eight day session, it being the annual meeting of the members of that august body. They met again yesterday for a day's session. There were no important matters to come up to elicit animated debates from the orator members of the board, with the exception of the equalization of county taxes, which called forth a ripple of excitement. This transaction came the last thing.

Mention was made in our issue of last week of a petition and ordinance presented to the board for the creation of the town of Little Rice by taking a portion of the towns of Hazelhurst and Woodboro. Both the petition and ordinance were withdrawn.

The members of the board appreciate the faithfulness of Geo. Marks, the efficient county poor commissioner, and re-elected him to that position. His salary was fixed at $600 per year, the same he has been receiving. Under the superintendency of Mr. Marks, the affairs of the poor farm have been conducted in a very satisfactory manner. He is on the alert at all times and under all conditions to save the county as much as possible, in fact he has got that institution on a good paying basis. It seems to be the universal impression that he is the right man in the right place. The members of the board evidently appreciate this fact and wish to continue him in the place he fills with credit to himself and the county.

Dr. S. R. Stone presented a bill to the board for his reappointment as county physician. Upon motion, a committee consisting of Supervisors Coon, Moran and Tripp were appointed to solicit bids from other physicians. The members chose the ballot system for the selection of that officer. The vote resulted in the selection of Dr. F. L. Hanaan as a successor to Dr. Stone. The salary was fixed at $480 a year, an increase of $120 over that received by Dr. Stone.

T. G. McLaughlin was re-appointed janitor at the court house at the same salary he received last year—$37.50 a month.

District Attorney Walker presented his annual report to the board. He says in the document that the only money received by him during his first term was from the settlement of the Adam Miller case, which is familiar to the readers of The New North. Miller was brought to the county poor farm nearly a year ago. He owned a farm in the town of Pelican, which he desired to deed to the county, the consideration being that the county take care of him the balance of his life. This was agreed to and a few days after he died. In the report Mr. Walker says: "About two years previous to this he had made a similar contract with John Sliezewski who had been living on the farm since and had been taking care of him. It was deemed best by the county poor committee and all members of the county board consulted, that I make settlement with Sliezewski and allow him to retain the property. This was done on December 15th, 1899, Sliezewski paying $200. Miller was given a good burial by the county." The burial expenses amounted to $72.30, leaving a balance of $127.70, which has been turned in to the county treasury. The report of Mr. Walker was adopted by the board.

Fifty-seven residents and electors of the territory hereinafter described petitioned the board to set off the following described territory into a new town to be called the town of Monico: All of township thirty-six, range eleven east and the south half of township thirty-seven, range eleven east. The territory contains an actual resident population of more than one hundred and twenty-five inhabitants.

An ordinance granting the request of the petitioners was presented by John Donnelly, of Three Lakes, which was adopted. The ordinance says: "It is hereby determined that the old town of Gagen was of the value of $201,628; that the value of that part of said town so detached is $63,872. That the value of the part detached is 31⅞ per cent. of the old town and the value of the part remaining is 68¼ of the value of the old town. That the new town is liable to the old town of Gagen for 31⅞ of its debts and is entitled to receive from the town of Gagen 68¼ per cent. of its credits. The indebtedness of the town of Gagen is $1,775 and its credits $300. The said town of Gagen is entitled to retain all of the property of the old town and to receive from the county all delinquent taxes for all years prior to 1901 and all illegal taxes prior to 1901 shall be charged back to the town of Gagen. No part of the expense of the Pelican-Monico road shall be charged to the town of Gagen and no part of the expense of the Sugar Camp-Gagen road shall be charged to the town of Monico. The first town meeting of the town of Monico will be held at the school house in the village of Monico on April 3, 1901.

An ordinance was introduced by Henry Wubker petitioning the board to detach territory from the town of Hazelhurst and attaching the same to the town of Newbold. The ordinance was adopted by the board. Following is the territory added to the town of Newbold: The east one-half and the north-west quarter of township thirty-eight of range seven east. The following described territory was also detached from the town of Newbold and attached to the town of Sugar Camp: The north one-half of township thirty-nine of range nine east.

The action of the board was reconsidered and the territory given back to Hazelhurst.

The salary of the county judge for the term commencing the first Monday in January was fixed at $100 per year, the same as last year.

The report of the committee on sheriff's accounts was read and adopted by the board, as was also the report of the committee on illegal taxes.

A communication was received from the clerk of St. Croix county, which was as follows: "I enclose you herewith a copy of a notice served by the city of New Richmond upon St. Croix county for the care of Harry McCrossen, a poor person. On behalf of the county, you are hereby notified that the county of Oneida will be held chargeable for all expenses incurred in accordance with said notice, which is made a part of this notice to you, and you will please take early action in order that your county may incur no unnecessary expense." McCrossen is a young man 16 years of age who is now lying at the hospital at Hudson suffering with typhoid fever. It is stated in the notice that the young man left this city about a year ago, also that he lived here for about three years. While here, it is said, he lived with his mother and step-father, who is E. M. Huff, also that his mother is not able to assist him financially.

The report of F. M. Mason, superintendent of schools, was read and adopted. The report gives only a list of the teachers examined and certificates issued for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, in compliance with Sec. 461 g R. S. Wis.

It was moved by Supr. Donnelly and carried that $100 of the money received of the estate of Adam Miller be refunded to John Sliezewski.

A petition from the Wisconsin Valley Advancement association was presented to the board requesting that the sum of $250 be appropriated by the county board of Oneida county toward helping to bear the expense of the association, providing the appropriation is made with the understanding that the other counties in the valley represented in the association appropriate a like sum. It is set forth in the preamble of resolutions that the association has expended a large amount of money in making a survey of the water power on the Wisconsin river, and in gathering statistical information showing the timber, mineral and agricultural resources of the valley, also that the association has advertised the agricultural resources very extensively and has been instrumental in inducing a large number of settlers to migrate to the valley as the members of the association believe. The appropriation was made by the unanimous consent of the board. The members evidently appreciate that the expense of the association has been borne by private individuals and it seems no more than right that the individual counties in the valley be taxed to bear the brunt of the burden. W. E. Brown appeared before the board in support of the resolutions, as did also John Barnes and C. C. Yawkey.

Last Saturday morning the board went into a committee of the whole to consider the apportionment of county taxes. The following resolution was introduced by Supr. Miner and adopted by the board:

Resolved by the county board of Oneida county that the assessed valuations of the different towns and city of Rhinelander be and the same is hereby fixed and determined as set forth in the following statement:

Towns and cities.	Real estate	Per. property.	Total
Rhinelander,	$955,000	$745,000	$1,700,000
Hazelhurst,	675,000	225,000	900,000
Woodboro,	560,000	140,000	700,000
Pelican,	428,000	22,000	450,000
Gagen,	350,000	50,000	400,000
Sugar Camp,	360,000	40,000	400,000
Newbold,	213,000	12,000	225,000
Schoepke,	210,000	15,000	225,000

The board adjourned Saturday evening till yesterday. The business was wound up after a brief session.

FOOT CRUSHED BY SOO TRAIN.

Percy Johnston the Unfortunate Gentleman—Amputation Necessary.

Percy Johnston, night foreman and engineer in the Stevens mill, met with a very unfortunate accident last Saturday morning about 8:20 o'clock, which caused him the loss of a portion of his right foot. Johnston was on his way to the Hotel Clifton to partake of breakfast. A freight train was standing on the Soo track, obstructing the crossing near the hotel. The gentleman became impatient and undertook to pass between a couple of the cars. In doing so he stepped on a coupling link between the two bumpers. The engine started unexpectedly, cutting and crushing the foot in a frightful manner. The unfortunate gentleman was taken in charge by a couple of our physicians who found it necessary to amputate a portion of the foot. It was one of those fortunate unfortunate accidents in which the victim held a hospital ticket. He held one in St. Mary's hospital of this city, to which he was taken immediately after receiving the injury. The accident will lay the gentleman up for several weeks.

THE CATHOLIC SCHOOL FORMALLY DEDICATED

EXERCISES CONDUCTED SUNDAY AFTERNOON BY THE BISHOP.

Large Number of the Members and Friends of the Church Present—Dedicatory Ceremonies Preceded By the Blessing of the Bell—Enrollment of 230 Scholars Monday Morning—Fr. Schmitz Elated.

The bell for the new Catholic church was consecrated and the new parochial school dedicated last Sunday afternoon. The blessing of the bell and dedicatory services were conducted by Bishop Messmer, of Green Bay, assisted by Fr. Joseph Fox, V. G. also of Green Bay. The services began at 2 o'clock with the blessing of the bell at the church, followed by the dedicatory exercises at the school building. The exercises were very impressive and were listened to by an extremely large number of the friends and members of the church.

The services blessing the bell were brief but impressive and were conducted by the bishop. The bell is the same one that was in use before the burning of the church last summer. It was recast, the expense for the same having been borne by Dr. A. D. Daniels. On the bell appears the following inscription in Latin:

"I lost my voice falling from the burning steeple; Reborn, I call again the faithful people."

The dedication of the school came next and was more extended and interesting. A very impressive sermon was delivered by Bishop Messmer. It was more in the nature of an address to the children, encouraging them to study and take advantage of the opportunity offered in the way of both educational and religious development. His talk was listened to very attentively by both old and young.

By request of Fr. Schmitz, the sisters will have a priest of their own. Rev. Fr. Adamer, who has been in the bishop's house at Green Bay, will come and take that station and is expected here this week. At the present time the sisters are occupying the parsonage, which they will continue to do till their quarters in the building are ready for occupancy. During the meantime, Rev. Schmitz will be quartered at the hospital. The sisters arrived in the city last Friday. There are seven here at present and one more is expected this week. Their names are as follows: Mary Placida, Mary Norila, Mary Ruth, Mary Chemilina, Mary Catherina, Mary Bladina and Mary Alenia.

Rev. Schmitz feels highly elated over the success of the affair. There was much interest made manifest, not alone by the members of his flock, but many outside of the church, who have loaned a helping hand to the Catholic congregation in a time of need. Rev. Schmitz has been in the city only a little over a year, but during that time he has accomplished grand work. He had scarcely got the building of the new school under way when the church was destroyed by fire. The school has been erected and the church is being rebuilt. The difficult task reflects credit upon the ability of the pastor, who has been untiring in his efforts to bring about that which he has accomplished.

The new school building is a modern structure and is a credit to the city and a monument to the zealous work of Fr. Schmitz. The school opened last Monday morning under conditions most encouraging. There was an enrollment on that morning of two hundred and thirty and at least fifty have entered the school since that time.

TALK OF A NEW COUNTY

Hard Work Will Be Performed to Carry Out Bradley's Scheme—Tomahawk to Be Represented at Madison.

The following from the Oshkosh Times concerning the proposed new county by taking portions of Oneida Lincoln and Price counties, will be of interest to the readers of The New North:

"'From present indications the fight which is going to be made to secure court houses for Tomahawk and Marshfield will be two of the bitterest battles which will be put up at this session of the Wisconsin legislature,' said an Oshkosh gentleman just returned from Madison.

"'As is well known around Wisconsin legislative halls,' he continued, 'when 'Bill Bradley,' the millionaire resident of Tomahawk and president of Tomahawk Boom company, goes after anything he is going to secure it, if possible. Lincoln, Oneida and Price counties are to be asked to contribute townships to aid Tomahawk in its ambitions, and it can be put down as a pretty certain fact that these counties will not give up any of their territory for the formation of a new county without a fight. Bradley is, however, making preparations for a fight, and is, it is said, putting his affairs in shape so that he will be able to spend the greater portion of the coming winter in Madison looking after the county bill himself. As a lobbyist, Mr. Bradley is a hustler, and therefore, it can be expected that there will be a very few of the members who will not before the winter is over be completely informed as to the reason which Tomahawk people consider sufficient for the formation of a new county. That the counties which would lose townships if the new county is created will give up, without a fight is, however, not to be expected and delegations from all of them are also likely to spend the greater portion of the legislative session in Madison in an effort to defeat Mr. Bradley's pet bill.'

"Marshfield's claims for recognition as a county seat will, The Times informant went on to explain, be represented in Madison by Gov. Upham. His desire is that Clark and Wood counties contribute for the new county of which Marshfield shall be the county seat. A similar bill to this was introduced in the legislature in 1897, and only killed after a very bitter fight made memorable by the passage of words between Charles Coon of Marshfield, who was lobbying for the bill, and Jesse Stone, the present lieutenant governor, who was then a member of the legislature.

"In behalf of Marshfield's claims as a county seat it is said that its interests and those of the southern half of Wood county are entirely dissimilar, and that its relations are today closer with Clark county than they are with the portion of Wood county in which Grand Rapids, the county seat, is located. Both Wood and Clark counties can be expected to give very warm opposition to this county division plan and on this question also the legislature will undoubtedly hear some very warm debates.

"Tomahawk has got the earliest start in the fight which it is going to make to be a county seat, and already canvassers are circulating over the territory which it is proposed to include in the new county, obtaining the names of the residents to a petition requesting the creation of the additional county.

"But Mr. Bradley's initial efforts will, however, not be alone in obtaining the request of a majority of the residents for a new county seat, but he intends to have petitions from the property owners as well. A great majority of these are non-residents of the counties, and already letters are being sent them requesting them to support the movement for a new county.

"As far as the non-resident taxpayers, in that portion of Price county which is proposed to include in the new county, are concerned they would welcome the change, as nearly the entire history of Price county consists of a fight between the county officers and the non-resident taxpayers over the question of assessments."

W. W. CARR WILL RESIGN

Plenty of Candidates in the Field for the City Clerkship—A List of Those Who Seek the Honor.

The election of W. W. Carr to the office of county clerk gives the city council an opportunity to elect his successor as city clerk, for the unexpired term. Mr. Carr will hand in his resignation at the December meeting of the council, to take effect January 1st. Already there is a field of aspirants. Among the men who will ask members of the council to vote for them for city clerk are Ed. Briggs, F. M. Mason, Mark Raymond, John Greenwood, Gus. Swellburg and Chas. Wilson. Perhaps this list is not complete, but it is all the avowed candidates up to date. It is reported also that W. H. Trumbull, editor of Vindicator, will be a candidate for the place. Whoever is named by the council will stand an excellent chance of election in the spring. The office pays $700 a year. The work is not particularly laborious except at certain times of each year.

HOME TO ENJOY A SHORT VISIT.

John Gilligan and Emmett Crowe Back to Tarry a Few Days With Friends.

John Gilligan, son of W. H. Gilligan, and Emmett Crowe, son of Former Chief of Police Joe Crowe, arrived in the city last Thursday night to remain a week or ten days with friends and relatives in the city. Gilligan is now making his headquarters at Ashland. He is employed as purser on the Plow Boy, a passenger steamer, which plies the waters between Ashland, Washburn, Bayfield and Madaline Islands, the last mentioned place being a popular summer resort. Mr. Gilligan will enjoy his vacation here, and return and finish up his business. Mr. Crowe left here the 15th of last April, going with his parents to Thief River Falls, Minn., where his father went to accept the superintendency of the Thief River Falls Lumber company. Since living there, Emmett has been employed as assistant filer for the same concern. The mill is owned by Winton & Ross, of Chicago and Wausau. It is of the double band and resaw type and was erected last summer. Both young men have a host of friends here who are glad to see them and wish they could stay longer.

A VACANCY TO BE FILLED.

Appointment of a Postmaster at Three Lakes Must Be Made.

The death of Postmaster Anderson at Three Lakes leaves a vacancy which the filling of will devolve on Congressman Stewart. There are a number of good men after the position and The New North has no desire to help one or wrong any. But if Congressman Stewart will appoint the wife of Mr. Anderson he will give the place to the one who needs it most and who has attended its duties for a long time. The men can get along better in this world's battle for existence than the women. The gallantry of Three Lakes' men should give her the place without a contest.

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Henry De Windt, the explorer, has started on his journey through Siberia. He will cross the Behring straits and then go by the way of the Mackenzie river to Winnipeg.

A French scientist has determined that the military and naval professions most quickly wear out the brain. Out of 100,000 naval and military men 199 are confirmed lunatics. Next come the liberal professions, artists heading the list, followed closely by lawyers, and more distantly by doctors, clergy, literary men and civil servants. The number of those who go mad is 177 to each 100,000.

Not only New York, but Paris and London as well, are today laughing over the collapse of Count Paul Ernest Boniface de Castellane, whose humiliation is all the more bitter in that George Gould, whom, of all people, the count is said to most heartily detest, is appointed guardian over the remains of the fortune that was being so gaily scattered to the four winds of Heaven.

The largest as well as the highest denomination of adhesive stamps ever issued was the $5,000 revenue stamp. A few proofs of it were printed, but the stamp was never used. It was engraved, printed in orange, green and black and was intended to be used on mortgages given by railroad companies and other large corporations. It would have paid the tax on a $10,000,000 mortgage.

Electricity has many advantages, but if the theory advanced in a Bombay journal be correct, then we shall not be in such a vast hurry as we have to light and travel and cook and wash by electricity. The installation of electric light in certain places in India has been noticeably succeeded by an increase in the number of thunderstorms; what is more, they have been more severe.

A new federation is in prospect. It is rumored that following up the formation of the Australian commonwealth the long-talked-of federation of the British West Indies is to become an accomplished fact. The imperial government is credited with the intention of welding the whole of the Leeward and Windward islands into one confederation, with Barbadoes as the seat of government.

The fact is not generally known that the queen has a private railway station. This is at Gosport, and is used by her majesty when embarking for Osborne. The station consists of a long, semi-circular platform, the end of which is conected with a pontoon, against which the royal yacht is usually moored. It is a strange fact that no other member of the royal family ever uses this station.

A New South Wales correspondent says that a shepherd of Hargreaves, near Mudgee, has tried dentistry for sheep with great success. He had a valuable ram which found great difficulty in masticating its food owing to the loss of teeth. Artificial teeth were inserted, and the animal has since vigorously attacked its fodder. This is believed to be the first experiment of the kind in the colony.

United States soldiers need put no postage on their letters. By a special provision of the postal laws a soldier may mail a letter without postage and it will be forwarded to its destination. To insure this favor on the part of the department the soldier must plainly mark "Soldier's Letter" on the outside of the envelope, and also his name and official designation and the command to which he belongs. The same law applies to marines.

"Pilgrim's Progress" translated into the Chinese language, with illustrations by native artists, is the latest novelty in the literary world of Peking, and the volume bears unmistakable traces of its celestial origin. Christian is depicted with an ample pigtail, the dungeon of the Giant Despair is one of the large wooden cages well known to Oriental criminals, and the angels waiting on the other side of the river to receive the pilgrims are arrayed in the latest Peking fashions.

James B. Dill, the well known corporation lawyer, of New York, has become the owner of 12 inches of land which he has wanted for six years. Incidentally he paid, according to the revenue stamps affixed to the deed, $500 for the strip. When Mr. Dill bought his present residence in Harrison street, East Orange, he found that a foot of land has been reserved when Dennis place was opened. His house was, therefore, one foot distant from the corner of Harrison street and Dennis place. The price then asked was so great he would not pay it.

A restaurant for concentrated food is to be started in Paris by an enterprising French chef. The happy diner will enjoy a menu of tabloids. From the hors d'oeuvres to dessert a entire meal will be presented to him in a few square inches. In this way a busy man will be able to eat his dinner in a few minutes, or carry it about with him in his pocket to swallow in spare moments. Even drinks are provided in the same form, and a bottle of claret or whisky and soda can thus be carried about in one's purse.

ARE ALMOST READY.

Demands of the Powers Soon to Be Presented to China.

WORK OF ENVOYS NEARLY COMPLETED

Minister Conger Says It Is Impossible to Foretell Whether or Not China Will Be Able to Preserve Her Integrity.

Peking, Nov. 17, via Shanghai, Nov. 19.—The belief that the note of the powers to the Chinese commissioners, Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang, will be completed soon is strengthened by the results of the recent informal conferences of the ministers of the powers. Mr. Conger, the United States minister, said Sunday:

"The situation is apparently very favorable to the early beginning of negotiations for a preliminary settlement. I believe that the next meeting of the foreign envoys will virtually settle all points of difference between the representatives of the powers, who will lose no time in presenting the demands. What the result will be it is impossible to foretell. Events have placed China in a very critical position. Whether she will be able to preserve her integrity and to save her trade relations with the rest of the world will depend upon what the powers demand in the final settlement and upon her willingness to accept promptly the conditions proposed. It is quite unlikely, if not impossible, that the Chinese court will return to Peking before next spring, but I do not anticipate any serious delay in the progress of the negotiations with the Chinese commissioners, as they are in telegraphic communication with the court."

Says Ministers Are Weakening.

London, Nov. 19.—Dr. Morrison, wiring to the Times from Peking, under date of November 15, says: "The foreign envoys have reopened the discussion of the death penalty for the princes and other high officials. It is evident that the ministers are weakening, as they have reduced their proposal from execution to the severest punishment provided by Chinese law, forgetting that princes lie beyond the reach of Chinese common law. The news from the southern provinces is more reassuring. Li Hung Chang says that Prince Tuan has fled for safety to the residence of his father-in-law at Ning Hai Hsien, on the Mongolian frontier of the province of Kan Su.

Wu Wants Tombs Spared.

New York, Nov. 19.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, is quoted in a Herald dispatch from Washington as saying of the Chinese situation:

"The imperial government is anxious to meet the views of the allied powers. Severe penalties have been imposed upon those whom it is safe for the imperial government to punish at this time and consideration should be shown to China in her present unfortunate position and she ought not to be pressed too hard.

"I am in hopes that no attempt will be made to destroy the Ming tomb. Such a proposition is horrifying to contemplate. As works of art they are beautiful. They are not the tombs of the emperors of the present dynasty. When the Manchus conquered China, in deference to the feelings of the Chinese, they permitted the tombs to remain without desecration. They form one of the sights of China and have given much pleasure to foreign sight-seers."

Troops Occupy Imperial Tombs.

Paris, Nov. 19.—At a council of the ministers Saturday, M. Delcasse, the French minister of foreign affairs, announced that the ministers at Peking had transmitted to their respective governments a number of articles of a joint note and that they contemplated adding six points to those already reached as a basis for peace negotiations.

A dispatch from Gen. Voyron, the commander of the French forces in China, said the French column, returning from Pao-ting-fu, had occupied the imperial tombs 109 kilometers southwest of Peking. French and Russian forces, the dispatch also said, occupied the tombs situated at the same distance east of Peking.

The French commander also announced that a Tartar marshal and a Chinese officer had been condemned to death by an international commission for having participated in the massacres. The conditions were quieter in the vicinity of Pao-ting-fu, though some Boxers were still there.

Demands Withdrawal of Chinese.

Peking, Nov. 15.—The commander in chief of the international forces, Count von Waldersee, received Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang, the Chinese peace commissioners, today at the imperial palace. Von Waldersee demanded that the Chinese troops be withdrawn from the vicinity of the territory occupied by the allied forces, adding that if this was done the dispatch of military expeditions by the allies would be discontinued.

Orders Payment Made.

Canton, Nov. 19.—The American consul here has been notified that the board of reconstruction has been ordered to pay $16,000 as the first installment of American claims. All the consuls are pressing for indemnity for the destroyed missions. A special deputy has been appointed for each district to estimate the damage done, the Chinese apparently realizing that settlement of the claims is the only method of ridding Canton of foreign gunboats.

A fire has occurred here which destroyed between 200 and 300 houses.

A Robber Republic.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 19.—The Russian troops are encountering a robber republic lying south of Kirin, Manchuria, in the mountainous basin of the upper Sungari. The president of this congeries of banditti is a certain Shaidengue. According to general staff dispatches, Lieut. Col. Duroff, with two companies of infantry and a sotnia and a half of Cossacks, while reconnoitering recently collided with Shaidengue and two battalions of Chinese regular troops who were operating with him. Lieut. Col. Duroff captured two guns in the engagement. Gen. Foh a few days later, with a mixed Russian force, engaged 3,000 of Shaidengue's followers in the same pass in which Lieut. Col. Duroff fought the bandits. Gen. Foh also took two guns. Gen. Rennenkampf, with five sotnias of Cossacks, had a sharp fight November 11, 20 versts from Kirin, on the Kirin-Mukden road, with Chinese regular troops. Twenty Cossacks were killed and 20 were wounded. A reconnoissance developed the fact that Mogeasshan is inclosed with a stone wall 18 feet high and that the inner city also is walled.

Much Lawlessness.

Tientsin, Nov. 19.—Numerous instances of robbery and mistreatment of Chinese by European soldiers have been reported to the authorities, and since the withdrawal of the American contingent of the military police of the walled city lawlessness has increased. Much of it is laid at the door of recently arrived troops, but the Chinese fear of foreigners makes it practically impossible to get evidence against the perpetrators. The American coolie gang have been robbed several times while returning at night to the native city, and they assert that the French soldiers did it. Now each gang carries a small American flag, and as far as reported this has afforded them protection.

RUSSIA'S SICK RULER.

Confidence In St. Petersburg That the Czar Will Recover from His Attack.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 19.—The Russian official world is anxious regarding the condition of Emperor Nicholas, but there is a feeling of confidence that he will recover. A foreign office official said Sunday evening that the bulletins were regarded as favorable. He called attention to the distinction between typhus in the American sense of the word and typhus as understood in Russia, where the term corresponds to typhoid in American terminology. Typhoid is common, the official pointed out, in all Russian cities, owing to the defective hygienic arrangements, but is not feared in this country as it is in the United States.

Considerable surprise is expressed that his majesty should have contracted a disease attributed to tainted nourishment. It appears, however, that he is imprudent in his diet, does not always follow medical direction, and often drinks any water he can get when walking or driving. The possibility of his having contracted the disease from milk is also considered. Yet another source of typhoid infection in Russia is quail, there being high medical authority for the statement that germs have been cultured from broiled quails.

The news of the czar's illness is gradually reaching the general populace, and many sympathetic references to his condition are heard among the people of St. Petersburg, who are apparently greatly attached to the person of the monarch. Special prayers for his recovery were offered Sunday in the churches of St. Petersburg, Moscow and Kharkow.

Livadia, European Russia, Nov. 19.—Emperor Nicholas, according to the best information obtainable, had a favorable day Saturday. He slept for some time and felt at ease. His temperature at nine p. m. was 101.6 and his pulse 64. At night he slept well, and on waking Sunday morning was comfortable, his head being quite clear. At nine a. m. Sunday his temperature was 99.6 and his pulse 68.

TAMMANY IN EARNEST.

Richard Croker Declares Crusade Against Vice Will Be Pushed to Successful Issue.

New York, Nov. 19.—Richard Croker sailed for England Saturday on board the steamer Lucania. At the democratic club, before starting for the steamship pier, Mr. Croker said:

"I have nothing to say touching on or appertaining to that matter." He made a similar answer when asked if the investigations and resultant complaints made by the Tammany committee of five in the search after vice would be treated in the customary manner.

Chief Devery was asked at police headquarters if he had read the letter sent by Bishop Potter to Mayor Van Wyck, calling attention to an alleged laxness in the police department. He replied:

"This movement by Tammany Hall against vice means business. We have taken up this fight to purify the city in earnest, and we propose to carry it to a successful issue."

AN OPEN SWITCH.

It Causes a Railway Disaster in Ohio—An Engineer Loses His Life.

Zanesville, O., Nov. 19.—A passenger train on the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad ran into an open switch here Sunday afternoon, badly wrecking the engine. The engineer, John Somers, of this city, jumped, but fell under the wheels and was killed. Four trainmen were hurt by jumping and Mrs. Sarah Schaing, of Louisville, Ky., was thrown over a seat and badly bruised.

Two Children Cremated.

Manton, Mich., Nov. 19.—Rupert Fisher's two children, aged respectively three years and four months, were burned to death in his residence here, which was destroyed by fire. The children were left alone in the house by the mother while she went to the barn. When she returned, 15 minutes later, the house was in flames and the fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to enter and rescue the children.

Death of an Irish Peer.

London, Nov. 19.—Baron Oranmore and Browne, a representative peer for Ireland since 1869, is dead. He was born June 8, 1819.

GROW MORE ACTIVE.

Operations Resumed on Both Sides in the Philippines.

MANY SKIRMISHES ARE REPORTED.

Interesting Accounts Are Given in the First Uncensored News by Cablegram Since the American Occupation.

Manila, Nov. 19.—(First uncensored news by cablegram since the American occupation).—Last week witnessed a very considerable increase in rebel and American activity in the field. Many skirmishes occurred and several engagements in northern and southern Luzon. The termination of the rains permits a resumption of operations on both sides.

The Americans are undertaking a series of aggressive movements against the insurgents, notably upon the island of Samar, against Gen. Lukban, whose forces hold the entire island with the exception of three coast towns, each of which is garrisoned by two companies of the Twenty-ninth infantry and a platoon of artillery.

Harassed by Rebels.

The rebels are continually shooting into the garrisoned towns, and our forces have not been sufficient to retaliate effectively. Commerce in Samar has been at a standstill and most of the influential inhabitants have departed. Gen. Hare has arrived there with 250 men. He will bring eight companies of the Second infantry from the island of Marinduque as they may be needed and will proceed energetically to crush Gen. Lukban. Meanwhile United States gunboats will patrol the coast to prevent the escape of the insurgent leader. Lukban still holds three members of the Forty-third regiment prisoners.

The rifles which the party of Capt. Devereaux Shields, of company F, Twenty-ninth volunteer infantry, lost last September in Marinduque at the time of the capture have not yet been recovered from all the insurgents.

Military Changes.

All of the Marinduque garrisons are being continued. The Fourteenth infantry, which recently arrived from China, will relieve the Twenty-first infantry from duty in Manila, and the Twenty-first will relieve the Thirty-eighth infantry in southern Luzon, the Thirty-eighth infantry proceeding to the island of Panay to reenforce the troops there. The Twenty-eighth infantry will reenforce the garrisons in the island of Mindanao, particularly at Kagayan, where an armed truce between the rebels and the Americans has existed for months past.

Grant's Advance.

Notable among the week's engagements was Gen. Grant's advance with Maccabebe and American scouts upon a rebel stronghold 35 miles north of Manila, which was defended by 200 insurgents armed with rifles. After skirmishing and fighting for the greater part of a day and night the enemy was dislodged from the mountain fastness and immense quantities of rice and stores, with ammunition, were destroyed. Fifty Filipinos were killed and many others wounded. The insurgents carried off their dead. The American losses were 11 privates and one officer wounded and one Maccabebe killed.

Lieut. Frederick W. Alstaeter, of the engineers, who was captured by the insurgents in Luzon last September, has sent, with the permission of his captors, a letter to Manila asking for food, money and clothing, which will be forwarded to him by a native runner. His health is broken and his release problematical.

Gen. MacArthur has gone to Subig bay with Admiral Remey on the United States cruiser Brooklyn for the purpose of examining the locality. It is probable that 1,500 marines now in Philippine waters will be used to relieve certain army posts, rendering the relieved soldiers available for other and more urgent duties.

Although news and commercial messages between Manila and points in America and Europe are not subject to censorship, all messages between the Philippines and the orient are censored as heretofore.

A Fight in the Philippines.

Manila, Nov. 19.—Two hundred bolomen, with 50 rifles, attacked Bugazon, island of Panay, on October 20. The Americans lost three men killed—Lieut. H. M. Koontz, Sergt. Kitchen and Corp. Burns—all of company F, Forty-fourth infantry. The enemy lost 100 killed, 21 wounded and 29 prisoners.

Bank Vault Robbed.

Quincy, Ill., Nov. 19.—With nitroglycerine, the vault of the Bank of Bluff, Scott county, was blown open early in the day. It is reported the robbers secured $2,000 in currency and a lot of securities, the value of which is not stated. A hand-car afforded the gang means of escape to Chapin, where they stole the horse and buggy of the town marshal and drove northward.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Phillippi, W. Va., Nov. 19.—A fire which originated in the Valley hotel at nine o'clock Saturday morning destroyed a large portion of the business area of the city. The blaze is supposed to have started from a defective flue in the hotel. The loss will approximate $100,000.

Maritime Congress Called.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 19.—Gov. Allan D. Candler has issued a call for a national maritime congress at Brunswick, Ga., on January 30 next.

BANK IS CLOSED.

Peculations of a Trusted Employe Cause Trouble for a Newport, Ky., Institution.

Cincinnati, Nov. 19.—United States Bank Examiner Tucker took possession of the German national bank at Newport, Ky., and posted a notice that the bank would remain closed pending an examination. Examiner Tucker also announced unofficially that Frank M. Brown, the individual bookkeeper and assistant cashier, was missing and that a partial investigation showed that Brown's alleged shortage was about $201,000. Brown had been with the bank 15 years, was one of the most trusted men ever connected with this old bank, and it is stated by the experts that his operations extended back as far as ten years.

The captial stock of the bank is only $100,000. Brown's shortage is double that amount and more than the reserve and all the assets, including their real estate. While Ahlord got away with $700,000 in New York he did it in a large bank, but Brown did not have so much to go on and seems to have gone the full limit for a small bank in a city of less than 20,000 inhabitants. The First national bank of Newport was wrecked two years ago by Cashier Youtsey, and now with the German national closed Newport has only one bank left.

For two weeks there have been rumors that Brown was short and some depositors withdrew their accounts. Three weeks ago the bank examiners made a good statement for the bank and the officers and directors allayed suspicion by referring to the report of this examination and to their last statement. Last Wednesday Brown left and it was announced that he had gone hunting on a vacation. He did get a ticket for Olin, Ill., but it is learned now that he did not go there, and it is generally believed that he is out of this country, with plenty of money in his possession.

It is learned that Brown was suspected last Tuesday, pending an investigation, and that experts have been at work all the past week, while the officers and directors have been making announcements that everything was all right. Last Friday the officers and directors over their own names published in the papers of this city a statement that the bank had been found to be all right and that the rumors about Brown were false. They continued making these statements to the press as late as Saturday midnight, but the statements were not accepted by the Commercial Tribune, which exposed the alleged shortage and caused a panic in Newport, so that the bank had to be taken in charge by the examiner. The wildest scenes were witnessed in Newport Sunday and serious trouble is feared today, when the officers and directors will be confronted by people who have hunted them in vain.

Brown, it is alleged, was living a fast life, with wine, women and gambling in his repertoire. His career was not cut short by any discovery at the bank till a jealous woman gave him away.

A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

The Best Period Known to American Shipping Since 1861 Is That of 1900.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The report of Commissioner of Navigation Chamberlain says the past fiscal year has been the most prosperous period known to American shipping for some years. Returns for the current fiscal year promise an even more satisfactory record. For the first time since the civil war the documented tonnage of the United States exceeds 5,000,000 gross tons. On June 30, 1900, American documented tonnage comprised 23,232 vessels of 5,161,829 gross tons, an increase of 200,000 tons over the previous fiscal year. Our maximum tonnage was 5,539,813 tons in 1861.

Prominent Iowan Dead.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Nov. 19.—News was received here Sunday of the death at his old home in Ohio of Capt. J. A. O. Yeoman, one of the most prominent attorneys of northern Iowa. Capt. Yeoman is prominently mentioned in the United States government history of the civil war for conspicuous gallantry on the field of battle. He was one of the captors of Jeff Davis.

Has No Assets.

New York, Nov. 19.—Francis D. Carley, a well-known Wall street broker who lives at Orange, N. J., made announcement at Newark that late on Saturday he had filed in the United States district court at Trenton a petition in bankruptcy. The petition declares the liabilities to be more than $1,000,000 and the assets nothing.

Book Big Orders.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 19.—Contracts for more than 200,000 tons of steel and iron have been taken during the past week by Pittsburgh manufacturing concerns. They are for every kind of finished material and they make the best week's business that the iron and steel firms have done since the early weeks of the year.

Football Games.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Scores of principal football games played Saturday: Wisconsin, 29; Chicago, 5. Minnesota, 21; Northwestern, 0. Yale, 29; Princeton, 5. Michigan, 7; Notre Dame, 0. Iowa, 63, Grinnell, 2. Lafayette, 17; Cornell, 0. Pennsylvania, 16; Carlisle Indians, 6.

Work Resumed.

Joliet, Ill., Nov. 19.—The billet mill and converter of the Illinois steel works resumed operations Sunday night after a three-weeks' shutdown. About 1,600 men were put to work. The outlook is good for a long run.

WAS A DEATH TRAP.

Frame Hotel at Oswayo, Pa., Destroyed by Fire.

FOUR INMATES BURNED TO DEATH.

Three Men Seriously Injured and a Number of Others Slightly Hurt—Explosion of Natural Gas the Cause.

Oswayo, Pa., Nov. 19.—Four men were burned to death in a fire which on Sunday destroyed the McGonigal house, a three-story frame building, the hotel barn and the opera house. The three buildings were burned to the ground in half an hour from the time the fire started. The dead are: Arthur Fletcher, bookkeeper for the Pennsylvania State company, home in Boston; Michael Russell, employe Pennsylvania Tanning company, Oswayo; William Mulhaney, of Rexford, N. Y.; Hugh Jamerson, of Alfred, N. Y. Nothing remains of the four unfortunate men but a few charred bones.

The town has no fire department, the only protection being a pump at the tannery. The fire originated in the McGonigal house from an overpressure of natural gas. There were 20 people in the hotel, which was a flimsy structure. Three men were seriously injured. Otto Kauley, a gas line walker of Coudersport, Pa., was burned about the face and arms; Jerry Dailey sustained a broken shoulder by jumping from the third story of the hotel, and one man had a leg broken in jumping. Several others received minor injuries and slight burns in making the exit from the building. There were many narrow escapes, most of the occupants jumping from the windows. The flames licked up the hotel building as if it were built of tinder. The tannery employes connected a line of hose to the burning buildings, but on account of some trouble with the pump there was considerable delay in getting a stream on the fire, and the flames had got beyond control. The property loss is estimated at $35,000.

IS DENOUNCED.

Mass Meeting In Denver Protests Against Action of the Limon, (Col.) Mob.

Denver, Col., Nov. 19.—At a mass meeting held here Sunday strong protests were made against the actions of the Limon mob that burned John Porter, the negro rapist and murderer, at the stake. The meeting was presided over by C. M. Hobbs, president of the Y. M. C. A., and speeches were made by Gov. C. S. Thomas, Mayor H. V. Johnson, of Denver; President Slocum, of Colorado college; Rabbi Friedman, Rev. Coyle, Mrs. Sarah Platte Decker, prominent in National Woman's club circles, and others. They all spoke in strong terms, condemning what was termed the "Limon atrocity," and also denounced the sensational display of newspaper stories concerning it. The audience at times was stirred almost to riotous demonstrations of approval.

Resolutions adopted admit the difficulty of adequately characterizing the crime for which Porter was punished, but declare that, however much the negro by his crime merited death, no crime can justify recourse to such barbaric methods, and that, while the action of the people of Lincoln county is attributed to excitement and passion, it is none the less condemned and discountenanced. Hope is expressed that a law will be speedily enacted in Colorado providing effective punishment for such crimes and providing punishment for anyone taking part in a lynching.

Gov. Thomas in the course of his remarks disclaimed any responsibility for the affair, saying that he understood that Sheriff Freeman had agreed to leave Porter in jail for eight days, and had gone out of town so believing, only to return to learn that the sheriff and his prisoner were on the way to Limon.

"This awful offense has been committed by an entire county," he continued. "All we can do is to declare that we, as citizens of the same state, deplore and condemn this act of barbarity."

Limon, Col., Nov. 19.—After being notified that some fragments of bones of a human being had been found on the prairie near where John Porter was burned at the stake, Coroner Brown and a jury summoned by him gathered up the "remains" and held an inquest. The jury's verdict was to the effect that the remains were those of John Porter, and that "death was at the hands of parties unknown." The remains were buried in a small box near the scene of the lynching.

Senator Davis Worse.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 19.—The improvement which had marked the condition of Senator Cushman K. Davis during Friday and Saturday seems to have received a decided check, and his physicians report that he passed a very bad night Saturday night, and was restless and feverish throughout Sunday. The delirium which was a feature of the disease in the early part of last week has returned, and is more marked. His pulse has again risen materially, as has also his respiration.

To Be Hanged.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 19.—Sam Shepard was found guilty of murder in the first degree at Elizabeth, near here, and was sentenced to be hung, the judge overruling a motion for a new trial. He was convicted of murdering his wife, her babe and his stepson, aged nine years, last August in Wirt county.

BOLIVIAN LEGATION.

It Is Now in Charge of Senor Fernando Guachalla.

New South American Minister Will Also Represent His Country at the International Congress in City of Mexico.

A recent addition to the diplomatic corps at Washington is Senor Fernando Guachalla, who succeeds Senor Luis Paz as minister from Bolivia to the United States, and who will act as delegate from that country to the international congress to be held in the City of Mexico next October. It is not the policy of Bolivia to maintain a large and expensive diplomatic service, as do so many of her sister nations in South America, and no permanent legation representing her government has ever been established at the American capital, although Senor Guachalla has had two predecessors, Senor Ladislao Cabrera, whose services extended from November, 1880, until December, 1882, and the retiring minister, Senor Paz. After Cabrera's recall and until the appointment of Paz all diplomatic business with Bolivia was conducted by the department of state with the office of foreign affairs in Sucre without an intermediary.

Senor Paz, who was appointed in the summer of 1897, came to this country with the avowed mission of studying its railroad system, preparatory to introducing the methods in vogue here into Bolivia and of stimulating immigration to that country, which is said to be a veritable Eldorado, containing more gold in its mines and rivers than is to be found in the Klondike and Cape Nome combined, and the richest in rubber and cocoa of any nation in the world. Senor Paz, however, remained only a few months in Washington, going shortly after his credentials were presented to President McKinley to Europe, where he visited several courts on the same mission that brought him to America. Since his departure this government and all people having business with Bolivia have conducted it through the consulate in New York.

Senor Guachalla, who presented his credentials to the president on October 22, has long been a prominent man

FERNANDO GUACHALLA.
(Minister Plenipotentiary from Bolivia at Washington.)

in the political circles of the republic which he represents. His official career dates from his connection with the Bolivian legation at Lima, a post he relinquished to accept a seat in the senate as a representative from his native province, La Paz, from which position he was transferred to the cabinet, where he twice held the portfolio of foreign affairs.

The new Bolivian minister, says the New York Tribune, is a lawyer by profession, and, although his official career has allowed him little time for practice, he has contributed some valuable works to legal literature, which are used as text-books in the national university at La Paz. There is no important question now between this government and Bolivia, and he was chosen primarily because of his fitness to act as a delegate to the next international congress. A winter spent in Washington, where he will meet many of the men who will be associated with him in that congress, will be of advantage in his work there. It was there and in the brain of an American statesman that the idea of these international congresses, which promise to be of great advantage to the nations upon the western hemisphere, originated, and the first congress was held there.

In appearance Senor Gachalla is typically Spanish. He has the suavity of manner, the grace of expression for which the race is noted. The new minister is accompanied by a young daughter and two of his sons, who will be placed in school here. Later on he will be joined by Senora Guachalla and his other children, who are now in Sucre.

The Wealth of Alaska.

Alaska improves steadily upon acquaintance. Large coal and iron mines have been discovered in the northern part of the territory. Arctic minerals are noted for fine quality and northern fish are better than those found in southern waters. The possession bought from Russia for a few millions is a vast storehouse of natural riches. No doubt the coal and iron of Alaska will be promptly utilized in the Pacific region.

Reliable Aids to Memory.

A lady of literary fame once requested Dr. Reid, the celebrated medical writer, to call at her house. "Be sure you recollect the address," she said as she quitted the room: "No. 1 Chesterfield street." "Madam," said the doctor, "I am too great an admirer of politeness not to remember Chesterfield, and, I fear, too selfish ever to forget No. 1."

NEW COREAN MINISTER.

Prince Min Tong Whan Will Represent the Hermit Kingdom in the United States.

Prince Min Tong Whan, who was appointed Corean minister at Washington more than a year ago, is expected to arrive at the legation very soon. His coming has been delayed because of the need of his services at home, where he is one of the king's most trusted advisers. The new minister will replace the bizarre and eccentric Ye Pom Chin, who was, perhaps, the most typical oriental ever accredited here, clinging passionately to the traditions of "Old Corea" and abandoning with regret the ancient

PRINCE MIN TONG WHAN.
(New Corean Minister Who Will Soon Arrive at Washington.)

costume of his caste when ordered to do so by the king.

The new minister, unlike his predecessor, belongs to the progressive party, to "Young Corea," and it is popularly known, and is one of the foremost and most influential statesmen in the "Hermit Kingdom." Prince Min has traveled widely. He made a tour of the world when accredited as special ambassador to Queen Victoria's jubilee, going to England by way of India and the Suez canal, and traveling leisurely over the continent before going to London. He returned with his suite through the United States, which he traversed slowly, remaining for some time in the large cities, studying the customs of the people.

Prince Min remained for several weeks in Washington with his cousin, Col. Ho Sang Min, a former attache of the Corean legation and a delegate to the postal congress. During his stay in Washington the prince, who, like all of his countrymen, acquires foreign languages easily, learned to speak English with fluency, and studied the American system of government.

The new minister, says the New York Tribune, is taller than the average Corean, with a military figure and carriage that might have been acquired at West Point, an intellectual face and the grace and manners of a man of the world. He is cultivated, erudite and familiar with the history and traditions of the occident, as well as with those of the orient. He is, in a word, a broad gauged, well-balanced man, who may be expected to administer his legation in a way creditable both to his country and acceptable to this government, to gain a social position denied to his predecessor, and to wield a moral influence Mr. Ye failed to exert.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY.

President of Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children Retires from Active Service.

Elbridge T. Gerry, of New York, who has just resigned from the presidency of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, is the founder of that famous organization and is noted throughout the country for his humane and tender disposition. Commo-

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY.
(Famous New York Yachtsman and Friend of Little Children.)

dore Gerry is a grandson of the Elbridge Gerry who sat in the continental congress, who signed the declaration of independence and who, as governor of Massachusetts, invented the "gerrymander." The retiring president of the S. P. C. C. in the 20 years he was its executive officer did many things in the line of his duty for which he was publicly condemned. Notably among these was the revocation of Josef Hofmann's license to play. The infant prodigy was then 11 years old. Mr. Gerry contended that the boy was being worked like a slave to put money into the pocket of somebody else. It is doubtful whether Mr. Gerry is best known as a philanthropist, a leader in society or a yachtsman. He is very rich, and the Gerry mansion at Fifth avenue and Sixty-first street is one of the most beautiful private residences in New York.

OLD INDIAN WOMAN.

Aunt Hannah, of Fort Black, Tex., Is 120 Years of Age.

Colored Woman, Once the Wife of a Seminole Chief, Who Has a Son Who Claims to Be Over 100 Years Old.

Old Aunt Hannah, of Fort Black, Tex., is a Seminole, though she does not look as if there was a drop of Indian blood in her veins. While her exact age is not known to those who lived near the old woman for a long time, still, she herself claims that she is more than 120 years old. Aunt Hannah is blind, though her mind is as clear as it was 50 years ago, and this makes her an interesting character, for the old woman has witnessed many stirring historical events, which she can and does relate with a vividness that attracts the listener at once.

She is, according to her own story, as told to a Chicago Tribune man, a descendant of Alligator, a famous Seminole chieftain. Aunt Hannah is an authority with her people on every event of the Seminole war, and no one has yet doubted the veracity of the statem nt that she witnessed most of the battles in that strife. She was the wife of Screamer a young Seminole who was killed at the battle of Skeechebs.

Gen. Taylor saw the young brave fall, and he also saw Aunt Hannah, who was then a young woman, run forward amid a storm of bullets and drag the body of the young Indian brave back into the thicket.

The old warrior admired the black girl's courage, and it was not long before he had an opportunity to show his appreciation. When the war ended and the conquered Seminoles were held as prisoners, awaiting a settlement of their future, planters from southern states appeared looking for runaway slaves. One of these men claimed Hannah as his property, and he was about to sustain his demand with the testimony of witnesses when Gen. Taylor himself appeared and settled the matter then and there. Hannah does not know to this day how the American general ended the dispute, but she was told that she had a narrow escape from being carried into bondage.

After the war was ended there was general dissension among the Indians,

SIX SCORE YEARS OLD.
(Seminole Who Has a Son Who Claims to Be a Centenarian.)

most of whom were full-blooded Africans and in constant terror of capture by planters. Hannah secured employment about the headquarters of Gen. Taylor, being later sent to his plantation, where she married one of the old soldier's slaves. The general was a model slave owner and never abused or whipped any of his men. Hannah and her husband, who was the general's body servant, were taken on a journey once, and it was on this occasion that Hannah remembered visiting a little village called Chicago, near a big lake.

When the Mexican war broke out Hannah and her husband were sent to New Orleans. Hannah did the cooking for the general's military family while the army was intrenched at Corpus Christi. She witnessed the battle of Palo Alto and Resaca de Palma and she nursed the wounded in the hospital at Monterey. While the army was encamped at Monterey, Hannah's husband was assassinated by a Mexican, whom he had befriended.

Gen. Taylor gave Hannah to the wife of Col. Smith on the promise that she would be treated well. Mrs. Smith was fond of the old negress and Hannah was devoted to her new mistress. But all the time Hannah looked forward to the time that she would be allowed to rejoin her people, the Seminoles.

So, when Col. Smith removed to western Texas and made his home there, Hannah found that she was near those of the old Seminole nation who had settled down in New Mexico and Indian Territory.

Hardly had Col. Smith settled down, however, before the Apaches made a raid. The household was ably and bravely defended, and Hannah did her share in resisting the attacks of the unfriendly Indians. All were killed except Hannah, who was carried off into captivity. After she had been with them a year the chief traded her to a Comanche chief for a brace of ponies. She was brutally treated by her new master until one day she was traded to a young chief, who made her his wife. This was Hannah's third matrimonial venture. She lived with the Comanches for nearly 30 years and was the mother of seven sons, all of whom are still living.

She left the Comanches on the death of the young chief, then an old man, and found her three sons with the Seminoles, the sons by her first marriage. Tony Warrior, one of the sons, is still living, and his great age is well authenticated by Seminole history. He is over 100 years old, and so the mother's age can be proven by that of her son.

Divorce at Kansas City.

The fall term of the circuit court in Kansas City, Mo., opened with 300 suits for divorce on the docket.

AGED INDIAN WOMEN.

Are Taken Into the Fields Among Horses and Cattle and Left to Die of Starvation.

The attention of the United States government has just been called to a barbarous custom that is still being practiced among the Kiowa, Commanche and Apache Indians in Oklahoma territory.

The Indians of these three tribes, while living under the management of an Indian agent, are comparatively civilized, and do not go on the warpath, but work for their living at farming. But they have no love in their hearts for one of their people after that person has passed his or her age of usefulness. An aged squaw, after she

A PICTURE OF DESOLATION.
(Indian Woman Left to Die Alone on the Western Prairie.)

reaches the age of 80, is sent into the fields and left there to die, unless some sympathetic white person comes along and sends the poor old woman to the Indian agency, where she may be taken care of at the expense of the government.

Travelers in the reservation may hear the distressing cries of some deserted woman at most any time they care to listen. The women are given a few day's rations, clothed in their best garments, and taken into the fields amid the horses and cattle. There they are left alone. Not being strong enough to get away, they have to remain there and die.

The plains of this Indian reservation are strewn with the bones of those who have been left to die, because they were getting too old to work any more.

CHINESE WAX FARMING.

How Minute Insects Are Used in the Production of a Valuable Export Product.

The white wax exported from China is made by the curious method of using minute insects in its production. These insects are found in brown, pear-shaped excrescences or galls attached to an evergreen tree called the "insect tree."

The galls are gathered in May and carried to the market towns by bearers, who travel at night so that the heat may not force the insects to emerge during the journey.

They are then placed on the "wax tree," which is a stump varying from 3 to 12 feet in height, with numerous branches rising from the top, similar to the pollard willow.

The wax insects are made into small packets of 20 or 30 galls, which are inclosed in a leaf of the wood-oil tree, fastened together with rice straw. These packets are suspended close to the branches, under which they hang.

On emerging from the galls the insects creep rapidly up the branches, to which they attach themselves, and begin forming a coating of wax that in about three months attains a thickness of almost a quarter of an inch.

The branches are then cut off, and after removing as much of the wax

CHINESE WAX FARMING.
(Coolie Gathering Galls for Market in the Early Spring.)

as possible by hand, they are put in a kettle of hot water, when the remaining wax floats on the surface, and the insects finish their term of usefulness by going to the bottom.

Gets All the Pay He Wants.

There are few people who decline an increase of salary, but Rev. George C. Lorimer, pastor of the Tremont temple in Boston, is one of the few. His congregation recently voted him an increase of $1,000 a year, but he has declined the increase, stating that his present salary of $7,000 a year is quite enough.

Advice Worth a Quarter.

An advertiser proposed to reveal for 25 cents an easy way for any young lady to keep her hands nice and soft. A budding damsel in Sturgeon, Mo., sent the cash, and received this advice: "Soak your hands in dishwater three times a day, while mother rests."

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS.

Appoints Delegates.

Seven delegates from Wisconsin to the national irrigation congress to be held in Chicago at Central Music hall, November 21 to 23, have been appointed by Gov. Scofield. They are: George Raymer, Prof. F. H. King, Madison; A. J. Phillips, West Salem; N. E. Brecer, Random Lake; George H. Patch, Stevens Point; R. M. Bauhnn, Grand Rapids; H. L. Austin, Evansville. The object of the congress is to arouse people to a realization of the importance of transforming the western deserts of the country into fertile territory.

Heir to Two Fortunes.

Mathias Brick, an old settler of Kenosha county, was found dead at his home in Pleasant Prairie. Brick was supposed to be a pauper and he had been supported by the people of the county. When his papers were examined after his death he was found to be heir to two large estates in Germany. Brick fled from Germany to escape military duty, and the fortune of his sister had been held in trust for him. The fortune will go to heirs who are supposed to be in Chicago.

Draws Color Line.

George Scheuermann, traveling salesman for a Chicago shoe house, was refused a seat at a table in a restaurant owned by C. A. Sterling, in La Crosse. Sterling said Scheuermann, who is a Filipino could not eat at the table unless he paid $2.50. The regular price to white people was 25 cents. He also said he had a counter reserved for feeding colored people. Scheuermann will bring suit for damages. Scheuermann is a well-educated man and speaks several languages.

Big Telephone Line.

The Fox River Valley Telephone company was organized in Appleton and incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000. The company will establish exchanges at Appleton, Kaukauna, Neenah, Menasha, Kimberley and Combined Locks, and their toll lines will connect with those of the Wolf River company, already established throughout the Wisconsin river valley.

Died Suddenly.

Prof. W. H. Rosenstengel, aged 68, head of the German department at the University of Wisconsin, died suddenly in Madison while attending a faculty meeting. He was one of the oldest members of the faculty, having joined in 1879. For several years he had been suffering from Bright's disease. He leaves a widow, four daughters and two sons.

Women Name Officers.

At the convention in Racine of the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Henry M. Youmans, Waukesha; recording secretary, Mrs. Thomas H. Brown, Milwaukee; corresponding secretary, Mrs. David White, La Crosse; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Allis, Madison; auditor, Mrs. W. H. Crosby, Racine.

The News Condensed.

An additional rural free delivery service has been established at Prairie du Sac, Sauk county. It will cover an area of 40 square miles, with a population of 262.

Apropos of the agitation over the alarming increase of gambling slot machines in West Superior Mayor Pratt issued an order instructing the police to close gambling houses and gambling devices in all saloons.

Mrs. Mary Riley, aged 75 years, was killed by the cars in Beloit while she was picking up bits of coal that lay about the yards.

Peter Schauble, a farmer near Sturgeon Bay, was robbed in Chicago of $150.

Ernest Scheppler, foreman of the grinder mill of the Kimberly & Clark company's mill at Niagara, had his clothing caught by a shaft and was instantly killed. He leaves a wife and five children.

The proposition that the county board of supervisors appropriate $10,000 to build a monument or memorial for deceased soldiers, to be placed in the Courthouse park in Janesville, was carried at the last election.

Herman Heuer, a farmer residing with his mother, brother and sister in the town of Negaunee, was found dead in his buggy about a mile west of Brown Deer station.

Herman Pahl, the oldest musician in Racine, died at the age of 78 years.

Bartholomew Popowoski, a retired farmer, was held up by an unknown man in Stevens Point, beaten into insensibility and robbed of $2.100.

It is now assured that the Chicago & Northwestern road will extend its double track from Milwaukee to Green Bay as soon as work can be commenced in the spring.

John Willison, of Iowa, has bought 47,000 acres of land near Bruce which he will sell to settlers.

Joseph Fantl, a saloon keeper in Milwaukee, committed suicide by throwing himself under the wheels of a Northwestern passenger train. He was married and prosperous.

A nine-year-old son of Thomas Jenkins was accidentally shot in Sparta by his four-year-old brother. The bullet entered just below the heart.

Andrew Weber, while working in a sewer trench in Racine, had both legs broken above the knees and was otherwise injured by the earth caving in on him.

Miss Agnes Steele has returned to Palmyra from a hunting trip to the northern part of the state. She brought two fine deer with her, which she shot herself.

Al Haviland, unmarried, was shot and instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a rifle at Rhinelander.

Bernard O'Shaugnessey, of Stellerales, who was hurt in New Richmond in a football game, died of peritonitis.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The steamer Oregon has arrived at Seattle from Nome with 115 passengers and $70,000 in treasure.

John O'Halloran, civil war veteran, committed suicide at Springfield, Ill., by taking laudanum and asphyxiation.

Paul Fuss, of St. Louis, a student at Columbia university, New York, was found dead in his room. Death was from asphyxiation.

Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith gives an unqualified denial to a published report that he intended to resign next month.

There is excellent authority for the statement that of the proposed war loan not less than $50,000,000 will be floated in this country.

The Paine Lumber company's dry kiln at Oshkosh, Wis., burned, with a large stock of lumber. The loss is $75,000, with an insurance of $40,000.

Lieut. Col. Kitson, acting commandant of the Royal Military college of Canada, has been appointed military attache of the British embassy at Washington.

W. F. Mattox was shot and killed by his son-in-law, J. H. Jones, Jr., at Heardmont, Ga. Mattox was 67 years old and was prominent in his section of the state.

Former Ambassador to Italy W. F. Draper has been decorated with the order of SS. Maurice and Cazal by the king of Italy for services during his embassy to Rome.

Committees arbitrating the labor union troubles at Tampa, Fla., have decided to allow all cigar workers to return to work except members of the International Strippers' union.

Rev. Dr. Easton, a Presbyterian minister of Washington, D. C., has apologized to Olga Nethersole for his attack on her performance of "Sapho" and the actress has withdrawn her $50,000 damage suit.

Postmaster General Smith has concluded a parcels post convention with Venezuela, the documents in the case having been brought to Washington with the signature of President Castro of Venezuela by United States Minister Loomis.

Complete official returns in Illinois outside of Cook county give McKinley electors 264,296; Bryan electors, 215,872. McKinley's plurality, 79,423. Returns complete on governor outside of Cook, except Douglass, show Yates about 4,600 behind McKinley.

The United States army recruiting office in Cheyenne, Wyo., has just received orders to enlist as many men as possible for all branches of the service, with especial directions to procure recruits for cavalry service in the Philippines. The enlistments in Cheyenne number 40 to 50 per month.

WANTS LARGER ARMY.

Gen. Miles Calls on the President to Emphasize the Advice Given in His Report.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Lieut. Gen. Miles called upon the president and talked with him concerning the passages in the latter's annual message relating to the army. Gen. Miles has for some time insisted that the needs of the country demanded one professional soldier for each 1,000 population. This idea he amplified in his annual report made public this morning, wherein he says that the present number is insufficient. In his estimates the standing army of the United States should be about 76,000 men. According to the adjutant general's record the present military force consists of 99,023 officers and men, made up of 2,325 officers and 63,561 enlisted men in the regular establishment and 1,318 officers and 31,079 enlisted men in the volunteer establishment. Under the law all of the volunteers and all but about 30,000 of the regulars must be discharged on or before July 1 next. Consequently, unless other provisions are made in the meantime, the army on that date will consist of 2,325 officers and 25,000 enlisted men, to which must be added, however, 5,000 new artillery men specially provided for at the last session.

DESPERATE MEASURES.

Kitchener Decides to Employ Reconcentrado Methods in South Africa.

Durban, Nov. 19.—The Natal Mercury reports that Lord Kitchener has decided to "depopulate the towns in the Transvaal, owing to the difficulty of dealing with the republicans when hampered by the civilian population."

Bloemfontein, Nov. 19.—The Boers heavily attacked the railroad at Elenburg, November 15 (Thursday). It is reported that the Boers were completely cut up. One report has it that 75 of the party were killed or wounded.

May Succeed Griggs.

Washington, Nov. 19.—It is rumored that ex-State Senator W. M. Johnson, of Hackensack, N. J., who was recently made first assistant postmaster general, will be made attorney general of the United States when John W. Griggs resigns his place in President McKinley's cabinet. Johnson was appointed to his post at the suggestion of Griggs. Johnson is a lawyer well known in his own state.

Death of Martin Irons.

Waco, Tex., Nov. 19.—Martin Irons, the famous labor leader, who conducted the big Missouri Pacific strike in 1886, died Saturday at Buncesville, 20 miles south of here. He had long suffered from broken health and spirits. Irons was once a power in the labor world, and after coming here he tried to launch the social democratic movement and organized a number of clubs.

Find Over 100 Bodies.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 19.—The United States surveying corps on Saturday found over 100 bodies in a swamp just west of the city on the island, where they had been deposited by the storm of September 8. The unburied dead were in an out of the way place near the county road and had not been discovered by the burying parties sent out after the storm.

Place Offered to Sargent.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Frank Sargent, of Peoria, has been tendered the post of director of the bureau of engraving and printing by President McKinley. Mr. Sargent has been grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen for 14 years and stands high among the members of the fraternity and in his home state.

THE NEW NORTH.

RHINELANDER PRINTING CO.

PROSPERITY WILL CONTINUE.

There is plenty of evidence going to show that prosperity will continue with us. Between 1,000 and 1,500 engineers and firemen on the C. M. & St. P. R. R. system have been notified that material concessions in the matter of pay and working time have been granted to them. The men who handle the throttles on the powerful ten wheelers hence forward will receive $4 for every 100 miles they cover while in the cabs, and increase of fifteen cents over the old wages. The engineers on the compound engines, which are used exclusively in the passenger service will get $3.85 for every hundred miles., an increase of fifteen cents over the old wages, and the fireman on the big locomotives will receive an increase of ten cents per 100 miles, the pay being raised from $2.40 to $2.50.

Hereafter ten hours will be accepted as a day's work on switch engines, instead of eleven hours, which time has prevailed in the past. Under the eleven hour rule the firemen will received $1.79 a day. The scale for switch engineers $2.70 per day will remain unchanged.

On many of the other big western systems the engineers and firemen on the monster train pullers are working to secure increases in pay, and the action of the St. Paul management is expected to act favorably to the cause.

THE UNITED STATES SENATORSHIP

Hon. J. H. Stout, of Menomonie, is being prominently mentioned in connection with the United States senatorship, as a successor to Hon. John C. Spooner, in the event the Madison statesman persists in his refusal to accept another term. A strong pressure is being brought to bear upon the present incumbent to reconsider his determination to withdraw from active politics and it is earnestly hoped that his friends may persuade him to do that very thing. Senator Spooner has shown his entire fitness for the place and to find another man to so ably fill it would be the next thing to an impossibility. State Senator Stout has for years been prominent in Wisconsin politics and has taken an active part in every public movement which would tend to forward the interests in our state, but as a successor to Mr. Spooner—well, he would come a long way from filling the position as ably. Still if Mr. Spooner insists he will not continue to serve his state in the halls of Congress, the Menomonie gentleman would answer the purpose, so to speak, while it would be an easy task to find his equal.

The agricultural department of the State university is becoming a prominent department of that great institution of learning. The department opened last week with an attendance of 109. Applications to the number of 133 have been received and it is probable all will be admitted to the course. Among the students who have entered is a woman from Turtle Creek, Wis. This is the first woman to take the work offered by the dairy department, but it shows the manner in which our work is taking hold of by the rural population.

A new feature of the school established for the coming year, is the course in farm engineering. This will include work in machinery repair, soldering of iron, and so much other work that is incidental to the work of the farm laborer. This work is required of all students in the course.

There is likely to be a spirited contest for the speakership in the assembly at the approaching session of the legislature. The name of Geo. H. Ray, of course, is prominently mentioned in connection with the place. The latest arrivals in the field for the honor are Francis B. Keene of the First assembly district of the city of Milwaukee, and Henry Overlack of Door county. Hon. A. R. Hall, of anti-pass fame, of Dunn county, is developing some strength, especially in the Tenth district.

General Bryant, chairman of the Republican State Central committee, claims that the expense of conducting the campaign in this state will not excede $30,000. This includes the cost of the special train used by the governor-elect in making his tour of the state.

A HIGH CLASS TROUPE

Sanford Dodge and Company Appear at the Grand in Three Very Strong Attractions—A Theatrical Star.

One of the really artistic triumphs of the local theatrical season was scored by Mr. Sanford Dodge and his excellent company which appeared at the Grand opera house Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in "The Three Musketeers," "Merchant of Venice" and "Quo Vadis." Dodge will ever be held in high esteem by the theatre-goers of Rhinelander.

All of the above plays are romantic stories forcibly told, abounding with strong situations. They are plays which require every member of the cast to be an artist and Mr. Dodge has satisfied the most exacting critics by the selection of his company. Of course he is prominently the star. His fine refined face with its exquisitely subtle expressions, his handsome figure and manly bearing, and his rich, melodious voice combine to make him the idol of an impressionable and adoring public. His voice is marvelous in its ability to perfectly portray every passion from the tenderest love to the most intense scorn.

He possesses remarkable reserve force in both voice and action and there is a delicate and artistic finish to his words and gesture. He is ably supported by Miss Zella Zee Leslie, who played her parts with a sweet dignity that was very pleasing. Mr. Dodge also has with him Misses Fannie Hoyt and Emily Lefebvre, who are charming in their respective parts. Mr. Dodge also has strong support in the gentlemen members of the cast. We only wish we had time to give them the mention they richly deserve.

Their audiences were small but appreciative with the exception of a few young hoodlums in the rear of the hall who displayed their ignorance, rather than a sense of appreciation. Sanford Dodge will hold a place in the memory of our amusement loving people and it is to be hoped he can be billed by Manager Stoltzman for a return engagement.

City Schools Open.

The city schools, with the exception of the High school, opened last Monday morning. The failure to open the High school is the inability to heat the building, for the reason that the new heating plant is not in working order.

The schools all open with a fairly good attendance, but not as large as last year, owing to the opening of the new parochial school, which takes at least two hundred and fifty children from the public schools.

The fact that the schools have opened is appreciated by the parents of the city who are thankful for the privilege of having their children in the school rooms instead of running the streets.

It will be impossible for the teachers to carry out the work prescribed for the year for the reason of the long delay.

LATER.—Prof. Lowell informs us that the heating plant is now in working order and everything in readiness to begin an active educational campaign.

August Flower.

"It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Houton, "that in my travels in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's August Flower than any other remedy for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, and for constipation. I found for tourists and salesmen, or for persons filling office positions, where headaches and general bad feelings from irregular habits exist, that Green's August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent use, and is excellent for sour stomachs and indigestion." Sample bottle free at J. J. BEARDSON'S, Drug Store. 3m-n22-11-

Bids Wanted.

The county board of Oneida county will accept bids, up to December 20th 1900 for furnishing one hundred and seventy-five cords of four foot body wood, half to be body wood and half hard maple. Delivery to be made on or before February 1, 1901. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. B. MORAN, Chairman.
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A Chance For Bright Boys and Girls.

The Pillsbury-Washburn Flour Mills Co., Ltd., Minneapolis, Minn., want young people to learn why "PILLSBURY BEST" flour is the best flour and how it makes the best bread. They offer $500 in cash prizes which will be distributed among boys and girls who write the best articles on flour and bread. They will send free printed matter about wheat, flour and bread as material for an essay, if requested.

The Maccabee Dance.

To finish off the day in good shape make arrangements to take in the big dance at the Armory Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 29.

An Indian by the name of John Jackson was arrested by Game Warden Clancy last Tuesday for having venison in his possession without the proper tag on the same. He had his hearing before Justice McIlree who fined him $25.00 and costs or imprisonment not to exceed 30 days. He did not have the necessary cash so was taken over to Eagle River by Constable Hillis yesterday.—Minocqua Times.

The Liederkranz will give one of their social parties at their hall on Brown street this evening. Dancing will be indulged in and refreshments will be served. Several outsiders have been invited to share in the pleasures of the evening.

Frank White, of Chicago, was arrested Monday evening by Chief Doyle on the charge of robbing the gum machine at the Northwestern depot. He was given three months in the county jail the next morning by Judge Browne.

MR. AND MRS. DAWE LEAVE.

Go to Negaunee, Mich., Where They Will Reside—a Successor.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Dawe departed last Sunday morning on the Soo limited for Negaunee, Mich., where they will make their future home. Mr. Dawe will go back to the same establishment he left six years ago, when he came to this city and took charge of the undertaking department of the V. A. Hildebrand's business. His place here will be filled by Frank Merrill, who came here from Hancock, Michigan. His home is at Detroit, Mich., which city he left about three months ago. Mr. Merrill arrived here last week and was immediately installed. He is very pleasant and nice appearing young man and seems to be well pleased with the city and his work. Mr. and Mrs. Dawe have a large circle of friends in this city who regret sincerely their departure and wish them all the success imaginable in their new home.

DOINGS OF NORTHERN WISCONSIN MEN.

BUSINESS, POLITICAL AND SOCIAL.

A number of Rhinelander men will be wealthy when the western timber becomes marketable. The Browns have invested about two hundred thousand dollars in Washington timber. A company comprising Dr. McIndoe, Chas. Chafee, Fred. Coon, Oscar Jenne and Ben Swiet own enough Oregon pine to make them all rich in ten years, that is, richer than they are, for some of them are that now. The estate of W. W. Fenelon has a good sized holding of stumpage and a number of Rhinelander men have interests out there which ought to bring good sized returns. Among the latter number are Archie Sleevwright, Alex. McIlae and the Conros.

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The defeat of Gilbert E. Vandercook for member of assembly in Marathon county is regretted by his many friends. Especially is this regret apparent when the makeup of his opponent is considered. Mr. Cook, the man elected, is a brother of the Neenah Cook who sought the United States senatorship from the Republicans two years ago. He is a Populistic silverite who declares his allegiance to LaFollette and says he will vote for a Republican United States senator if he is again elected to the assembly. In spite of this he ran as a Bryan democrat and was elected by Republican votes. Figure it out yourself.

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Two well known Merrill men are liable to be rich. In company with four westerners Tim O'Connor and W. H. Flett own an iron mine out on Vancouver's Island. The mine has been leased to a company which guarantees to bring to the six owners a monthly income of four hundred dollars each. The lease is for 50 years. Tim left for there Tuesday, to join Flett, who went immediately after election. Tim hasn't slept in a bed over 50 nights a year for the past decade, and four hundred dollars a month for life, is about a just sentence for him.

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'Lige Sturdevant is the best campaigner in Wisconsin. He goes for every vote election time, but he does not bank on that feat of energy as his stronghold with the voters. He attends to his office duties with a care and courtesy never equalled in the state. He lead the county ticket this year as usual, and it is his excellence as an officer that makes it possible for him to do it. Even McKinley has hard work to head his vote in this country.

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Dr. A. D. Daniels left Monday for Oshkosh where he joins Dr. Oriatt, one of the states foremost physicians. Together they will make a tour of the east visiting every hospital of note in Philadelphia, Boston, New York and Baltimore. They will be gone six weeks or two months. The trip is an educational one for both and not a pleasure excursion.

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J. H. Waggoner has sold The Oconto Reporter to two men from the east, whose entree into Wisconsin journalistic ranks will be welcomed. Mr. Waggoner has the sympathy of all his friends in his terrible affliction which threatens complete blindness.

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H. W. Wright has returned from Washington without making any purchases of stumpage. His son has gone to look over the country and doubtless they will be among the Wisconsin valley lumbermen who are getting hold o great tracts of the western pine.

Leonard J. Bruce, special agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, with headquarters in Merrill, transacted business in the town last week.

Rev. O. Lee Holden, pastor of the Baptist church of Minocqua, was an Arbor Vitae visitor Tuesday. He will preach here next Sunday evening.

Rev. Conway, of Hazelhurst, and Rev. Bitter, of Minocqua, conducted services in the school house and Woodman hall on Sunday last.

Charlie Brown is wearing a 2x4 smile these days on account of the baby girl who put in her appearance at his home last Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bissell spent Sunday in Edgar, guests of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mosher and daughter were Minocqua visitors one day this week.

Your correspondent spent a couple of days of the past week in Minocqua, a guest of Mrs. C. H. Blair.

Mrs. Geo. Elliott and little daughter Maxine, left Tuesday for a couple of days' visit in Minocqua.

S. B. Gary, wife and little daughter, were among Minocqua visitors this week.

Miss Margaret Eagan and A. W. Warner were Minocqua visitors last Thursday.

THE YOUNG MAN IN BUSINESS.

—By EDWARD W. BOK.—

A substantial business success means several things. It calls, in the first place, for concentration. There is no truth so potent as that which tells us that we cannot serve God and Mammon. Nor can any young man successfully serve two business interests, no matter how closely allied; in fact, the more closely the interests the more dangerous are they. The human mind is capable of just so much clear thought, and generally it does not extend beyond the requirements of one position in these days of keen competition. If there exists a secret of success it lies, perhaps, in concentration more than in any other single element. During business hours a man should be in business. His thoughts should be on nothing else. Diversions of thought are killing to the best endeavors. The successful mastery of business questions calls for a personal interest, a forgetfulness of self that can only come from the closest application and the most absolute concentration. I go so far in my belief of concentration to business interests in business hours as to argue that a young man's personal letters have no right to come to his office address, nor should he receive his social friends at his desk. Business hours are none too long in the great majority of our offices, and with a rest of one hour for luncheon, no one has a right to chop off fifteen minutes here to read an irrelevant personal letter, or fifteen minutes there to talk with a friend whose conversation distracts the mind from the problems before it. A young man cannot draw the line between his business life and his social life too closely. It is all too true of thousands of young men that they are better conversant during the baseball season with the batting average of Roger Connor, or the number of men "put out at second" by "Buck" Ewing, than they are with the discounts of their business, and this useless knowledge too many of our young men allow themselves to their own detriment.

MEETING OF ADVANCEMENT ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL GATHERING AT TOMAHAWK NEXT MONTH.

The annual meeting of the Wisconsin Valley Advancement association will be held at the Hotel Mitchell in Tomahawk on Tuesday, December 11. Now that the campaign is over, the stockholders of the association should make it a point to be in attendance as matters of vital importance are to come before the members of the association. An active campaign will now be commenced and good results will follow.

Only those who have paid their annual dues are eligible to vote at this meeting, so the members should see to it that they are qualified to vote.

Since the organization of the association grand work has been accomplished in advertising the resources of the valley. The members will now strive to secure more practical results.

A survey has been made of the water power of the Wisconsin river. We now have proof of the vast undeveloped resources of this stream, which in a brief space of time will turn the wheels of many more industries.

The members of the association at the December meeting will take up several matters of great importance to the various cities of the valley.

It is very essential that there should be a full attendance. The interests of the valley demand it. Lay aside personal matters for the one day and all present themselves at the coming gathering.

The Rev. Wm. J. Cordick, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, Wausau, will officiate at all services at St. Augustine, Rhinelander, next Sunday, Nov. 25th. The services will be as usual. Holy Communion 8.00 A. M.; Morning Prayer and sermon 10.30 A. M.; Evening Prayer and address at 7.30 P. M. Sunday school at noon.

DOINGS AT ARBOR VITAE

It is a sign of the rapid development of Vilas county that the newly organized Swift-Sellel and Rick Co. expect to be able to purchase high bred cattle for beef purposes in this vicinity. These enterprising and public spirited gentlemen, with the best interests of our farmers and stock raisers in view, intend erecting shortly a large abbattoir, and supplying northern Wisconsin with fresh beef, etc. At present they intend operating in a small way only, but expect to extend their business rapidly. We congratulate our husbandmen on the establishment of such a desirable market for their surplus cattle so near at home. The Swift Sellel & Rick Co. will pay highest market prices.

The lake was partly covered this week with a thin coating of ice, and skating was indulged in by a few of the venturesome small boys.

A story has been in circulation here this week to the effect that small pox is rife in Camp 5, a few miles from town, but as the report has not been corroborated by any one in a position to say positively, it is probable that there is no truth in it. Every precaution has been taken to prevent the spreading of the disease, should it prove to be small pox, the company is having erected a pest house near the tracks of the Milwaukee company just out of town, and one man who came down from the camp ill, was placed in it Tuesday evening. Chas. Richards is the attendant.

Arbor Vitae people will be considerably surprised to learn that big, good natured Christ. Olson has decided that it is not well for man to be alone, and has taken unto himself a life partner. Chris. and his bride will probably return about the time the mill starts up.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, of Minocqua, were visitors to the city Monday afternoon, having come over to secure musicians for the dance to be given by the Royal Neighbors in Minocqua on Thanksgiving evening. 'Tis ever thus. When people want the real thing they come to Arbor Vitae to attain it.

Dr. C. B. McIndoe, of Rhinelander, transacted business here a couple of days the fore part of the week. Charlie is quite a favorite here and manfully combines business with pleasure when in town.

The Woodman lodge of Arbor Vitae will give a big dance on the evening before Thanksgiving, and invite all members of that lodge in surrounding towns to attend. The ladies of the Royal Neighbors will serve supper on that evening.

Pat Madden and his famous "Jim," of Minocqua, were out looking for excitement in the form of a race last Saturday, but Dr. Rosenberry and his fast (?) horse kept discretly out of the way.

Miss Margaret Eagan is confined to her home with a severe cold, and one young man wanders disconsolatly about, pondering the question, "Is life worth living?"

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Bits of Local Gossip

Rhinelander should have 10,000 people by 1905.

Richards & Kingsbury sell Little Devil cigars.

M. Baird was a Prentice visitor the first of the week.

Geo. Brown was up from Oshkosh Monday on business.

Mrs. Paul Browne returned last Friday from Chicago.

Smoke the "Allan Dale" cigar. Sold by JULE DEMARS.

Byron Shank is at Eagle River, the guest of his mother.

Unfurnished rooms for rent. Fourth house north of court house. 2t.

Geo. Miller was a business visitor at Woodruff the first of the week.

Pat. Shelly was a visitor at Eagle River the latter part of last week.

When you want a good cigar ask for the Allan Dale. JULE DEMARS.

Wm. Daniels is able to be out again after having had a siege of the grip.

The "Little Devil" cigars are good smokers. Sold by RICHARDS & KINGSBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Foster were at Merrill this week to attend the funeral of a relative.

A. W. Shelton was a visitor at Minocqua last Saturday on legal business.

Judd Brazell left Friday for Eagle River to enjoy a few days' visit with friends there.

Test the smoking quality of the Little Devil cigar. Sold by Richards & Kingsbury.

E. G. Squier left Sunday night for Chicago to purchase goods for his holiday trade.

The veneer company has begun shipping its product. The first carload went east.

Furnished rooms for rent, across from High school building. Inquire of F. A. LOWELL.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving, a day the fortunate should remember the unfortunate.

Miss. Mamie Daniels returned Tuesday after a two weeks' visit with friends at Arbor Vitae.

Mrs. Fred. Barnes last week purchased the Elias Dawe residence property on Stevens street.

Mrs. Henry Morrell left Tuesday for Wausau, where she was called to attend the funeral of her mother.

Talk for Rhinelander. Never let an opportunity go by to give a stranger some good impression of the city.

The deer season is one of the best local hunters ever knew. Most everybody gets a carcass this year.

Rev. F. F. Wolfe was a visitor last Monday at Three Lakes, where he conducted divine services in the evening.

Mike Holland left Thursday for Jeffris, where he has accepted a position with the Jeffris Lumber company.

Chas. E. Crusoe left last Sunday night for Chicago, to remain a week purchasing new goods for the holiday trade.

Miss Effie Morrison left Tuesday for Ironwood, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Jacobs.

There will be a young peoples' meeting at the Free Methodist church Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Briggs are the proud parents of a baby boy which arrived at their home on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Lizzie Fritz returned to her home at Wausau last Monday, after a week's visit, the guest of her sister, Miss Tillie.

Mrs. A. B. Donaldson returned last Friday morning from Boston, where she has pleasantly spent the summer visiting relatives.

Ben Sweet came up from Milwaukee the latter part of last week to enjoy a few days' deer hunt in the vicinity of this city.

Geo. Bertrand, a former resident of this city, but now of Ollo, arrived here last Friday to enjoy a short visit with his friends.

Ernest Binder, who has been the guest of friends in this city for a couple of weeks, returned to his home at Ashland last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McLaughlin are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl which made its appearance at their home last Thursday.

If you have a dollar or a thousand to invest, put it in some business in Rhinelander. That's the way to make the city grow and prosper.

Bruso Bros.' orchestra of this city, will furnish the music for a dance to be given at Eagle River on Thanksgiving night by the Royal Neighbors.

There are a couple of cases of small pox at Wausau. The Central assures its readers that "there is no danger of infection to any resident of the city."

F. E. Shepherd, representative for Carson, Pierie, Scott & Co., Chicago, was in the city the first of the week drumming up trade. He also found time to call on his friends.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving. Don't spend all the day alone in giving thanks, but remember the poor, who may be in need of the necessities of life.

Now that election has passed and all is quiet again, lets join hands to do for the city more than ever during the next year. Lets boom her for the 10,000 mark.

Mrs. A. W. Shelton, of this city, was highly honored at Racine last week. At the meeting of the State Federation of Women's clubs, she was selected vice-president of the Ninth district in the State Federation.

The new Catholic school was threatened with destruction by fire last Thursday morning. A gasoline stove that was being used by the workmen was upset and for a few minutes there was a rather exciting time. The damage was slight.

P. N. Stapleton returned to his home at Stevens Point after six weeks' visit here, the guest of his son, Matt Stapleton. He says he came up to vote for Webb, Brown and the balance of the good Republicans.

Fred. Barnes has given up his position as night clerk at the Fuller house and left last week for Manister, Mich. We are informed that Mr. Barnes will again take up his work for the Gateley concern of Chicago.

The apple social announced to be given at the home of Mrs. A. J. Lytle tomorrow (Friday) evening, has been postponed one week. It will be given under the auspices of the Epworth League and the proceeds go toward purchasing a new organ for the church.

Geo. Clayton, formerly of this city, but now of Oshkosh, arrived in the city the latter part of last week to tarry for a few days. Mr. Clayton was on his way home from the Pacific coast, where we are informed he made some more investments in pine lands, most of them being in Oregon.

The young ladies of the Swedish Lutheran society gave a necktie party at Solberg's hall on the north side last Saturday evening. Supper was served and a musical program rendered. It proved a very pleasant evening to the guests, as well as a profitable one to the young ladies.

The funeral of the late M. Harland was held last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of his brother-in-law, Arthur Middleton. The services were conducted by Rev. Bullock, pastor of the M. E. church, in the presence of a large number of the friends and relatives of the deceased. Interment was made in Forest Home cemetery.

Mrs. Spaulding, of the town of Pelican, mother of William Spaulding, is lying critically ill at her home. The infirmities of old age is the cause of her ailment, she being eighty-four years of age. Her recovery is very doubtful.

Westley Wilson, the well known logging contractor, arrived in the city last Sunday morning, remaining till Monday evening. Mr. Wilson has a large contract of logging for the Paine Lumber company, of Oshkosh. The scene of his operations are in the town of Pelican.

Joseph Garland and wife, of Wausau, arrived in the city last week. Mr. Garland will take the place of E. J. Broughton, as baggage master at the Northwestern depot, while the latter is away on a vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Garland are stopping with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown.

Rev. Moore, of Moline, Ill., occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday, morning and evening. The reverend gentleman came as a candidate for the pastorate of the church. The church was well filled and the audience was a rather appreciative one.

Mrs. Joe Pilon and her daughter, Mrs. Herman Obert, of Minocqua, came down Saturday morning to attend the social that evening and be present at the delication of the new Catholic school the following afternoon. They were guests at the home of Mrs. J. D. Dunn.

Shawano Keeble returned last week after an absence of nearly two months spent in Chicago and other cities in that vicinity. The trip to the Windy City was made on bicycle.—taking him just a week. Shawano reports a very pleasant time, also that there was an exciting time there on election night.

The ladies of the Catholic church gave a chicken pie supper in the basement of the new parochial school building last Saturday evening. From 5 till 8 o'clock there was a continual flow of guests. A very elaborate spread was served which was heartily relished by all who were fortunate enough to be in attendance. The ladies realized the handsome little sum of $100 for their pains.

The Rhinelander Iron Co., have just finished the improvements which have been going on at their works for several weeks. The foundry has been raised and a stone foundation laid and other changes made about the place. The company at present is rushed with orders, a condition that has existed throughout the summer.—Antigo News Item.

Ralph Walker, the window trimmer at the Bargain Department store, has given passers by something new and pretty to gaze upon. The three front windows have again been trimmed in a very artistic manner. Mr. Walker gives the public something entirely new each time. His skill along this line brings both he and the store many complimentary remarks.

Rev. J. Turgeson, district elder of the Oshkosh district, arrived in the city yesterday. He came for the purpose of assisting Rev. F. F. Wolfe, pastor of the Free Methodist church, in the revival meetings which are being held at that house of worship, also in the quarterly meeting which begins tomorrow (Friday) evening.

An unfortunate gentleman by the name of John Baker, was brought down from Hazelhurst Junction last Friday, suffering from the effects of a broken leg. The fellow was riding on the Yawkey road from Hazelhurst to Hazelhurst Junction when the accident occurred. Baker is being cared for at the county poor farm. He claims that he was in search of work.

John McHale, of Antigo, was in the city a portion of last week in the interest of the Indiana Road Machine company. Mr. McHale is trying to persuade the city dads to purchase a stone crushing plant. The friends of the good road movement trust that he, or someone, may be successful. Mr. McHale represents a good concern and we doubt if the city could do better than to buy of him.

W. W. Doherty, representing the wholesale cigar firm of Hart & Murphy, of St. Paul, was in Rhinelander last week drumming up business for his firm, which is one of the largest in the north-west. The work room of the firm is one hundred feet long, fifty feet wide and two hundred and fifty people are employed in it the year 'round making the various brands, the leading one of which is the Duke of Parma, an exceptionally fine smoke of delightful flavor.

The time for the completion of the two new bridges in the town of Pelican has been extended sixty days. One of the bridges is to span the Wisconsin river and the other the Pelican river. The Minneapolis Bridge company has the contract for the work. L. H. Johnson, a representative of the firm, was here the latter part of last week in the interest of the concern.

Remember the dance to be given at the Armory hall on Thanksgiving night by the members of Laraway Tent, No. 17, K. O. T. M. They are making great preparations and intend to make the affair a brilliant success. It is expected that a special train will be run over from Tomahawk, bringing a delegation of the members of Cohassett Tent, accompanied by their wives or sweethearts.

Little Beatrice Barnes very pleasantly entertained a number of her little friends on Wednesday evening of last week, the occasion being the celebration of the eleventh anniversary of her birth. Dancing went to make up the evening's merriment. A cake walk was indulged in, the prize being won by Frances Curran. Refreshments were served, after which the guests dispersed, wishing the little hostess a long life of uninterrupted happiness.

Last Sunday morning John Dern was found dead in bed. He went to bed the night before in his usual health and his wife, who slept in another room heard nothing uncommon during the night. When she got up in the morning she was surprised that he had not risen as he was usually an early riser. She went to his room to call him and found him dead. The body was still warm and he could not have been dead long. He had been subject to fits for a long time and it is thought that he died in one. He leaves a wife and several small children. He has lived here for the past fourteen or fifteen years and came here from Wausau, where he has a number of relatives.—Eagle River Review.

There will be a grand ball and oyster supper in the Armory on Thanksgiving evening. It will be given by the K. O. T. M. lodge, the ladies branch of that order, furnishing the supper. The dance will be one of the most enjoyable events of the year and will be well patronized. Tickets are on sale at 1.00 per couple. Supper at 25c per plate.

James R. Nelson was down from Three Lakes the first of the week on business. Mr. Nelson has been employed by the Woodruff & Maquire Lumber Co., as night foreman since their new mill started up last spring. He is now superintending the building of a new 28 foot addition to the mill for accommodation of an overhanging slasher. The trimmer will be moved into the new addition and the working space in the mill will be considerably larger.

The Woodruff & Maguire Lumber Co's tug sprang a leak and sank while crossing Planting Ground Lake Tuesday. There were three horses besides considerable freight on board at the time. The horses swam ashore to a small island where the rest of the freight was transferred in small boats. Geo. St. Louis went down from here this morning with block and line and capstan to try and pull the boat ashore where it can be repaired.—Eagle River Review.

An enjoyable dancing party was given at the Armory hall last Thursday night by the members of the M. W. lodge of this city. There was a very large attendance and everyone present enjoyed the affair immensely. Music was furnished by Bruso Bros.' orchestra. During the evening a spread was served by the ladies of the Royal Neighbors, which was relished by the merry dancers, who worked up their appetites sufficiently to do ample justice to the good things prepared by the ladies. A neat little sum was realized by both the Woodman and Royal Neighbors.

Squier's orchestra is to be reorganized and in the near future will be a first-class musical organization. Ludwig Priebe has entered the orchestra again and will give it strength It will consist of first and second violin, flute, cornet, clarinet, slide trombone, bass viol and trap drums. They will do away with the piano. Mr. Squier is now in Chicago purchasing new music. Mr. Priebe is a first-class musician, and will play the flute. He has had years of experience and for several years played in one of the military bands of Germany, consisting of sixty pieces.

E. B. Crofoot has purchased the planing mill site and building thereon on the west side of the river of the Rib River Lumber company. Mr. Crofoot has a crew of men engaged in remodeling the buildings, which will be used for the storage of ice, the gentleman having decided to engage in that business and solicits a share of the trade of our citizens for next season. The building used for an office will be remodeled and transformed into a residence, which Mr. Crofoot and his family will occupy. A new building will be erected for the storage of ice.

Gus. A. Heinemann, of Wausau, is a visitor in the city.

L. W. Hamel has disposed of the Sixth ward grocery store, having sold to Mrs. Davies.

Remember the Maccabee's dance at the Armory next Thursday night. It will be a big one. Take it in.

Nelson Roberts, representing the Standard Paper company, Milwaukee, was in the city yesterday in the interest of that concern.

Mr. H. S. Hayner of Chicago, expects to be in this city about the 25th of this month. Orders for piano tuning may be left at Squier's Jewelry store.

Union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Congregational church on Thanksgiving day at 10:30 a. m. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Edward Bullock.

The Maccabees will give a ball at the Armory hall next Thursday (Thanksgiving) evening. A good time is guaranteed all who attend. There will be the best of music.

J. P. Hansen, formerly with Beers & Co., left last night for Chicago and other points to select a stock of clothing for a new store which he will open on Brown street.

Miss Gertrude Peltier returned Tuesday, after an absence of ten days at Minocqua, Woodruff and Arbor Vitae, in the interest of the dry goods firm of Solberg & Kolden.

W. A. Clark was taken back to jail last Monday afternoon, his bondsmen refusing to serve him longer. Clark is held on the charge of defrauding insurance companies.

The Fred. Weber house in the Sixth ward, three blocks east of the school building, was sold last Saturday to Mrs. Mary O'Hare, the consideration being $900.00. The house is a good one and the location first-class.

Rev. Henry Colman, superintendent of the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon league, will deliver a lecture at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28. The subject of the discourse will be: "The Brewer and His Victim."

W. L. Beers has secured the county right for Oneida and Vilas counties for the sale of Lake Bros.' new gas light system. One of the lights which has been on exhibition at C. D. Bronson's store for some time has been removed to Mr. Beers' store. Several of the lights have already been purchased by business men in the city. Mr. Beers anticipates a good business and has many prospective buyers in sight.

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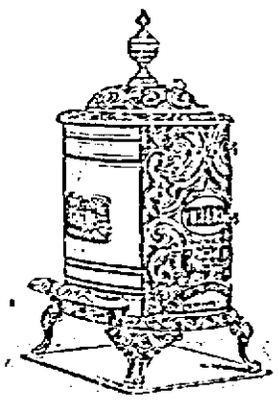

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For which the grateful feast is spread,
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And on our lives such radiance poured,
That with the sunshine of the past
Our later, lonelier years are storied.

And that removed from longer share,
In these brief festivals of earth,
We feel their living presence still,
The angels of our home and hearth.

A light surpassing sun or star,
A breath more sweet than bursting flowers,
The ministry of souls beloved,
Gone hence, and yet forever ours.

O Father! let our dearest thanks
Be for the heart immortal said,
That death has set Heaven's lamps a flame,
And Thou art nearer through our dead.
—Frances L. Mace, in Christian Work.

A THANKSGIVING DINNER.

IT WAS Juliet's idea. Most of the ideas were Juliet's.

"You see we are under so many obligations, Romeo,"—Juliet called him Romeo, in her hours of ease. His name was John.

"There's the Dorchesters and the Bennington-Millers and Basil and Leonora and the E. Gerard-Keenes—we're under obligations to all of them." Juliet was not strong in her English grammar, but in everything else.

"You follow me, Romeo?"

"Yes, to the death—certainly, my dear," he answered her. Where would he not follow her? He shifted his position now to get her in a stronger light. Strong lights were becoming to Juliet. He mused over her pretty charms and thought idly what a fortunate fellow he was.

"It's awful to feel under so many obligations, Romeo! You feel like that man—who was it, in the geography?—who carried the world around on his back? You remember him, Romeo?"

"Yes, he was an old schoolmate of mine," he said, humorously. Juliet laughed.

"Well, then you know how I feel, going round with the Dorchesters and the Bennington-Millers and all the rest on my poor little back. I think I've found a way to get them off, Romeo."

"Yes?"—absently.

"Yes. Now, stop wool-gathering and listen. I'm going to invite them all to Thanksgiving dinner."

"By-the-holy-Moses, you are!"

He was on his feet before her; gazing down into her calm little face in amaze.

"I am," Juliet said, serenely.

He continued gazing. Was Juliet going mad? There had been—wait!—yes, there had been a Wheeler, a generation or two back, who was mentally aberrated. Juliet was a Wheeler on her mother's side; therefore Juliet was going mad. He groaned audibly.

"Keep calm, dear; don't allow yourself to—to be agitated," he said.

"Romeo-John"—that was another phase of her name for him—"Romeo-John, sit down here beside me and be calm yourself. I'm calm enough. I'll recapitulate. What I said was that I'm going to invite all those people we're under obligations to to Thanksgiving dinner with us. That will settle the obligations—I suppose you see that, Romeo? Men can't see through a looking-glass! Have you taken that in? Well, to-day is the 17th. I shall send the invitations at once. I've only just found out I could—safely, you know."

He didn't know. He seemed to know so few things. Among the few, several facts arrayed themselves flauntingly in his consciousness. He knew that their income—Juliet's and his—was pathetically meager; that it was against their maxims to run in debt; that their dining-room was ten by thirteen. The latter fact appeared indomitable. He waved his hand toward the neat little dining-table before them with an eloquent gesture. Juliet understood his gesture perfectly.

"It's a wee bit dining-room, isn't it, Romeo? The wee-est bit! And there are—let's count—two Dorchesters, three Bennington-Millers—that's five. Take your other hand, Romeo—spread out the fingers—Basil and Leonora—"

"They're one," he muttered, docking them off on his thumb. Why not? He and Juliet were one.

"Two," counted Juliet, impressively, "and five E. Gerard Keenes, counting the children. Now, how many's that?"

Romeo-John was regarding his widespread fingers with disfavor. There were not enough.

"Twelve!—That's 12, Romeo. Then there's mother, John—of course we must have mother, John—and the girls. That's 15—and you and I"

"Sixteen," he groaned. "My dear, the dining-room is ten by thirteen. There are three extra leaves to the table, and—"

But he got no further. Juliet transferred herself lightly to his knee and covered his bearded lips with both little white hands.

"Poor boy!" she cooed. "He shall not be tormented any longer, so he shan't! All he shall do is collect his wits and wait. Somebody's going to enlighten him."

It was a sunny little room and Juliet's fair hair was golden in one of the beams of light.

"I'm going to invite them all, but they're none of them coming. Don't you see, you boy? It's easy as rolling off a log! That's why I'm going to do it. I've thought it all over, and it's the best way to pay off our obligations. It's the most economical way, and we have to be so economical, Romeo!"

He gasped spasmodically. What code of morals was this? Invite them all to a Thanksgiving dinner because she knew they wouldn't come! The gentle voice ran on:

"Of course, Basil and Leonora will come—I'm sure I hope so—and mother—John and the girls—and you and I, Romeo! That will make just a cozy number of us, and just a fit for the ten by thirteen!"

He laughed, too, because Juliet did. He had to—it was contagious. But he was still floundering helplessly in the tangled web of Juliet's code of honor. The small, sweet woman read his mind with perfect ease.

"I know it, Romeo. Do you think I don't? I know it's a—a heathen creed," she said. "But you don't know how I've agonized over all those obligations—you can't think, dear boy! I'm sure I've lost flesh, and they've got to be canceled—and we can't afford to do it. There it is in a nutshell, Romeo. If the Dorchesters only hadn't sent us such fine wedding presents, and we had only declined to go to the Bennington-Miller's big 'lunch,' and the E. Gerard Keene's ball!"

She broke off and covered his brown face with kisses. "I don't care, I'm going to settle things and begin over new!" she cried, recklessly. "I'm going to take things into my own hands and be a heathen! It's no use, dear boy; you needn't look so moral. I'm going to do it. I'm not going to pay up those debts with your hard-earned, sweat-o'-the-brow money. This way won't cost a cent!"

"SHE WANTED AN EIGHT-POUND TURKEY."

"But the risks, my dear—the risks," put in Romeo-John, solemnly. "If the good people all accept—"

"The good people all won't. I've ascertained that, of course. The Bennington-Millers are going out of town for Thanksgiving. The Dorchesters are going to have a big family dinner at home, with all the 'folks' there, you know. Mrs. Dorchester's cook told her washerwoman and her washerwoman is my washerwoman. I suppose you can follow that clew? Then—oh, yes, little Katherine Keene told somebody yesterday, or the day before, that the boy twin—there are twins, you know—was sick, and they were going to take him into the country for the quiet. She said they were going at once. I shall have just time to get in my invitation. You see there are no risks, Romeo."

"No-o," he murmured, still unconvinced.

"Well, I'll take all of them there are!" Juliet cried, gayly.

She had whipped a little tablet and pencil out of her pocket and was jotting something down hurriedly.

"Turkey—eight or nine pounds—one good-sized chicken (one will make a pie, if you stretch him)—bunch of celery—"

She went on writing down items, in her neat, slanting, little letters. Romeo-John looked over her shoulder admiringly. They were the same dainty characters that had filed in close ranks across his love-letters from Juliet, only they had spelled different words then.

What sweet words they spelled!

"It's best to order the things in good season, you know, Romeo," she said. "Last year at home we had to put up with second choice, because we waited too long. So you'd better step into Pilcher's, going down, and give him the list—see?"

The obligation-invitations, as Juliet mentally dubbed them, were duly written and dispatched. She drew a sigh of relief over the last one.

"The Lord forgive me if it's wrong!" she thought. "I don't think I take naturally to sinning, but I had to do something and I couldn't get up lunches and things that they would come to without asking for money—and don't I know how hard the money comes just now to my Romeo? Don't I? The dear boy is trying to hide it, but I'm not nearsighted!"

Romeo-John forgot to "run in" to Pilcher's, going down. He usually forgot. It is the way of men, and has been since the beginning.

On the way home, at night, Romeo-John "ran in." He produced Juliet's little list promptly.

"I want to—er—order a turkey and the fixings for Thanksgiving. It is a little early, little early, but it's never too early to—er—mend," he said with lame humor. "It's always wise to be the first worm to—er—catch the early bird!"

"Sure," chuckled the marketman, with ready appreciation. "But you're too late—your wife's caught it!"

"Eh? What's that?"

"The early bird, you know—your wife was in an hour ago and caught it. A fine one—12 pounder."

"A 12—you don't say! I was under the—er—impression that she wanted an eight-pound turkey. That was my impression."

He consulted the little memorandum with a puzzled face. "Eight or nine pounds"—it was there plain enough, in Juliet's slender chirography. The marketman rubbed his hands together and explained:

"Likely she's changed her mind since mornin'—I knew a woman once who did! She said something about havin' ten folks to set down to him an' she thought he'd better be fairly sizeable. I promised her a 12-pounder, sure. When you come in season you're usually able to take your pick."

"A 12-pounder—ten folks to set down to him—by the holy Moses, what does that mean, now?" soliloquized Romeo-John, as he jolted home in the six o'clock car. He counted on his fingers covertly, under cover of his newspaper. Basil and Leonora—mother, John and the girls—and themselves. You couldn't make ten out of that any way you reckoned it—no, sir! You'd have to add on three.

"M—m!" he said aloud, in sudden enlightenment. Juliet need not have told him. She met him at the door with a queer little smile.

"You see, Romeo—"

"I see, my dear."

They looked at each other for the space of a moment, without further speech.

"It came in the last mail; the postman brought it. You see, I sent the invitation direct to the house. It's a case of the 'best-laid plans,' Romeo."

"Yes, my dear, certainly."

"They're all three coming. She said she was delighted to change their plans so that they could take advantage of my cordial invitation."

"The dickens she did!" he groaned. Juliet fumbled with a button of his coat, meekly.

"I've been downtown and spoken for a bigger turkey, and—and—I told Mr. Pilcher to save us a pair of small chickens. I specified small. You can make two small chickens go a good way in a pie, Romeo."

"Way round the table, can you?" queried he, gravely.

They went into the dining-room and made elaborate plans, and Juliet counted her best napkins. After all, it was all right, they decided, with a fine attempt at cheerfulness.

The next day Romeo-John, on his homeward way, caught a glimpse of a small woman that looked unmistakably like Juliet. She was hurrying out of Mr. Pilcher's market, and he thought she glanced over her shoulder guiltily. He tried to catch her ear, but failed. Probably it wasn't Juliet, after all—what would Juliet be doing down at Pilcher's again? Umph! there were other small women in the world. But Romeo-John knew there was but one Juliet. He was unsurprised when she met him at the door and confessed.

"I saw you, my dear," he said.

"I saw you, Romeo. Then I hurried like everything—Romeo."

"Well?"

But she need not have told him.

"I—I ordered one that would weigh 15 pounds. And, Romeo—"

"Eh?"

"I specified two good-sized chickens, you know."

"I know."

"The postman brought it. She said they had been planning to have the entire Dorchester family there to dinner, but they were very glad to put it off till Christmas. She said it would give them great pleasure to come."

"M-m-m," muttered Romeo-John, indistinctly.

"Come into the dining-room, Romeo, quick. I want to try turning the table slanting-wise. It makes a good deal more room, you know. Oh, and I forgot to tell you that Basil and Leonora aren't coming. They can't, anyway."

"The tables are already turned, my dear," Romeo-John said, solemnly.

There was only one thing more left to happen. It happened. It was a few days before Thanksgiving. Juliet took a downtown car and appeared in Romeo-John's little office in mid-morning. She was greatly agitated.

"Oh, Romeo-John!"

"Yes, dear; save your breath—you'll need it," he said, soothingly. "It came this morning. The postman brought—"

"No, a boy. I've got it in my pocket."

They read the little perfumed note together in silence. Then Juliet read it again, aloud. Her voice sounded frightened.

"My dear Mrs. ——m, m——. I write at this late date to accept your kind invitation to Thanksgiving dinner. I am sure you will excuse the tardiness and rejoice with me when I tell you it is my little Reginald's unlooked-for improvement in health that makes my acceptance possible now. The children are all greatly delighted at the pros—"

"Skip it, skip it—that's piling it on, my dear," groaned Romeo-John. Juliet smiled weakly.

"After all, it's a relief, Romeo—just to know there can't anybody else accept," she murmured.

"The dining-room is ten by thirteen," he said, relentlessly.

"Oh, I know it! I know it!"

"And the tables are already turned, my dear."

But in the end he comforted her. What else could he do? He got her down on his knee and swung her about tenderly in his swivel chair. She essayed a subdued little smile by and by.

"And we'll call in at Mr. Pilcher's on the way home, Romeo?"

"We will that, my dear."

"And order a—20-pound one, Romeo? Children are so hearty, you know."

"Twenty-two pounds, dear. There's one hanging up there this minute."

"And—and—Romeo—"

"And, Juliet?"

"Th-three chickens?"

"Four."

He was bent on making the comfort complete. He laughed with loud cheerfulness and made a good many inferior little jokes to see her laugh. But the dining-room haunted them both mercilessly. It was ten by thirteen—ten by thirteen—ten by thirteen.

"I have it!" Romeo-John exclaimed, suddenly, with a sigh of relief. "We'll have two tables of it, dear. I'm sure I'll sit at the second ta—"

"Romeo-John!"

"Well, I don't see what else we can do," he muttered, diminished.

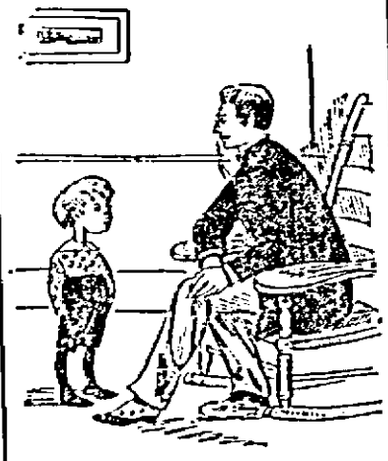
"I do—I've just thought. Oh, Romeo, it's an inspiration!" she cried. "Stop going round quick and listen! Don't you know how we've said we wished there were double doors between the dining-room and parlor—don't you know it, Romeo-John? Well, that's it. That's the inspiration. We'll have a carpenter come right away and cut it. We can run the table through; don't you see we can? Then I'll hire a slim, up-and-down girl to wait on us. Mrs. Dooley's got one just the right size. It's so lucky I haven't engaged Ann Mary Flint yet—she's so hither-and-yon!"

"She could crawl under," murmured Romeo-John, absently.

The carpenter was engaged and the turkey that weighed 22 pounds. Mother, John and the girls came over and helped about the pies and the pudding. There was great activity in the little flat. A certain amount of resignation was born and grew slowly as the days hurried to Thanksgiving day. After all, there were obligations. They would be discharged, anyway. And it would teach them a lesson in morals.

"And I won't let it be an expensive one to Romeo, either," Juliet thought, setting her little white teeth together with a click. "I've decided that fur cloaks won't be in style this winter!"
—Annie Hamilton Donnell, in Country Gentleman.

DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING.



"Well, Tommy," asked the minister, "did you have a good time yesterday?"

"Not very," replied the youngster; "I wasn't half as sick as I was last year."—Chicago Daily News.

To Be Sympathized With.

"Ha, ha!" said the jovial man. "I suppose you are going to eat all the Thanksgiving dinner you want to-morrow?"

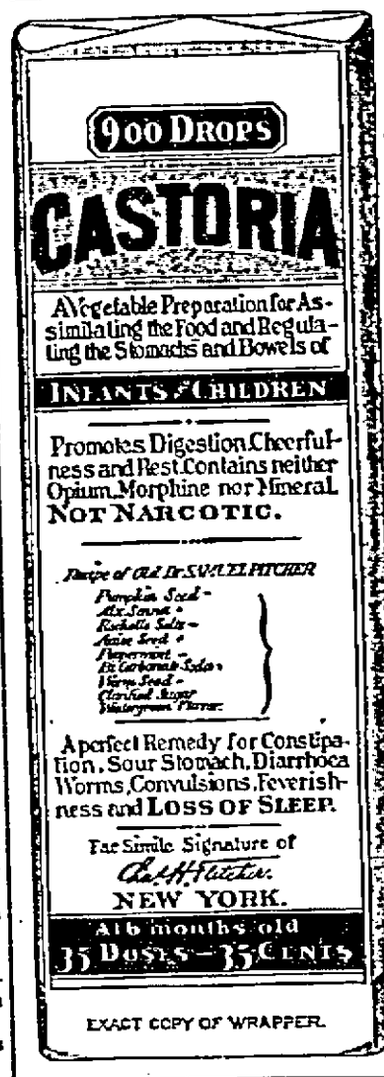
"My dear sir," replied the physician, wearily, "you forget my profession. Day after to-morrow will be my busy day, and I've got to keep in form."—Washington Star.

Without Any Trouble.

"I told you, didn't I, that I had ordered a Thanksgiving turkey that was almost too big to lift?"

"Yes."

"Well, my wife left it out on the back porch for a few moments and some measly tramp came along and lifted it without any trouble."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.



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Ungrateful Man.

"I must get a new tailaw," said Goslin. "Your clothes seem to fit," commented Gorley.

"Oh, they fit; but the beggaw actually wants to be paid faw them."—Detroit Free Press.

The Census of 1900.

A booklet giving the population of all cities of the United States of 25,000 and over according to the census of 1900, has just been issued by the passenger department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and a copy of it may be obtained by sending your address, with two-cent stamp to pay postage, to the General Passenger Agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, Chicago, Ill.

An Atchison young man is called "Lily" by his acquaintances, because he toils not.—Atchison Globe.

LIEUTENANT PETERSON

Says Peruna Is The Finest Tonic And Invigorator He Ever Used.

Lieutenant Charles Peterson, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 21, writes the following letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., from 827 Belmont avenue, Chicago, Ill.:

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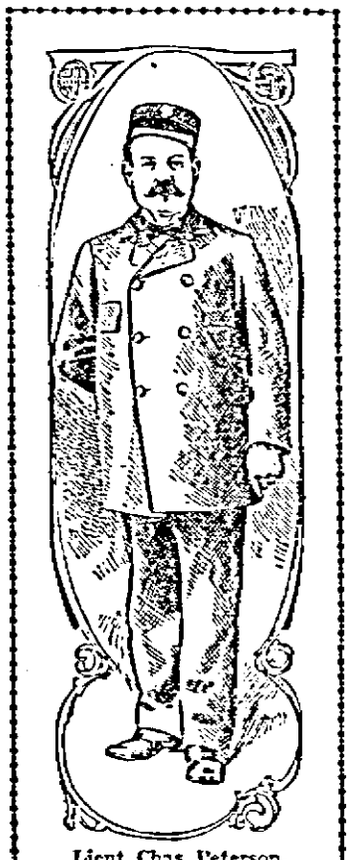

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ART IN ARCHITECTURE

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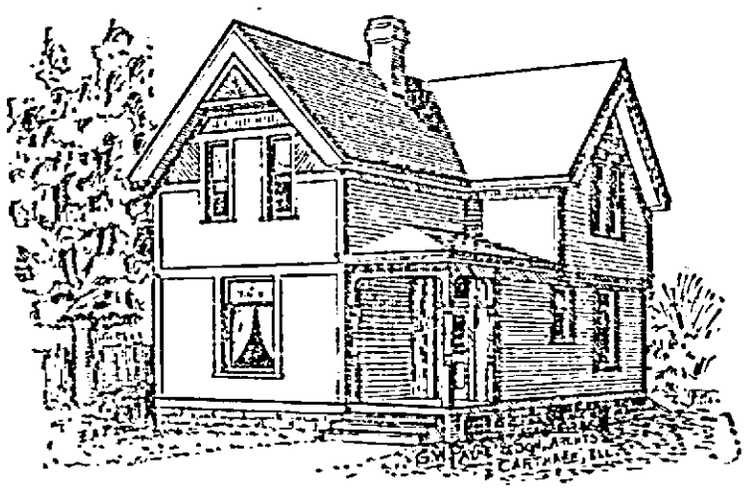
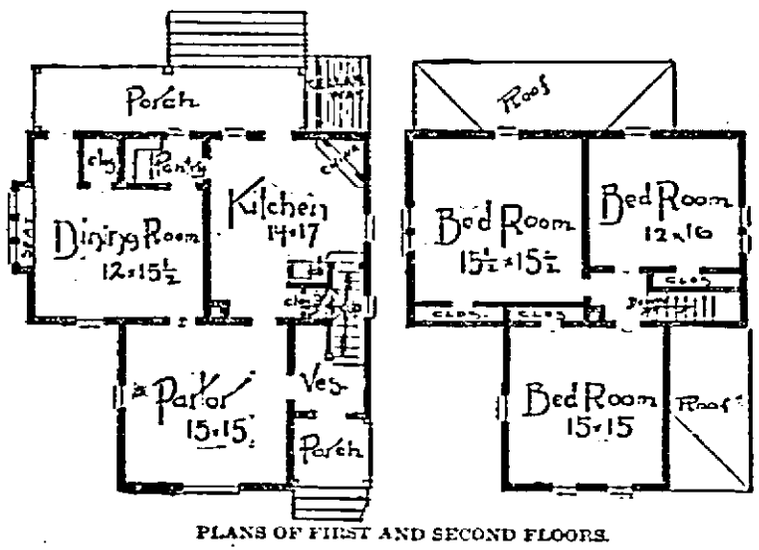
THERE is great satisfaction in perfectly planned dwellings, where everything is properly arranged and contributes to the safety and convenience of the inmates. Here the charming client of the fair sex graces the office with her presence, but she is often very trying to the patience of the architect by insisting upon embodiment in her plans of unsuitable features she saw at B——, or her aunt has in her house, and she must have large closets for every room, if not more, in impossible places.



A COZY TWELVE HUNDRED DOLLAR HOUSE.

The convenience of the arrangement here offered is apparent on glancing at the floor plans, and the whole needs but little explanation. The entrance through the vestibule is into the parlor on the left. This room is quite large for a dwelling of this character. Back of this one reaches the dining-room and kitchen, both of good size. The passage from the kitchen to the dining-room is through a pantry well-fitted with shelves, pastry table and flour bins. The arrangement of the stairway is an especial attraction. Going up from the front vestibule or kitchen the two flights merge into one on a landing about three feet above the floor, landing on the second floor in a small hall, from which one may enter either of the three large bedrooms, all of which are provided with good closets.



PLANS OF FIRST AND SECOND FLOORS.

The house is set about 18 inches above the surface of the ground, with the lawn slightly graded to the front line and nicely terraced. Since the comfort and utility of a house depend so much upon the arrangement and relative position of the rooms, the success of a design may be said to depend largely upon the manner in which the planning is executed. This fact, unfortunately, is often overlooked, and features of elevation are allowed to predominate over essential details of the plan. In this design we have succeeded in getting a very satisfactory arrangement and at the same time a simple but pleasing exterior.

The foundation should be of good quality stone or brick, well laid and bonded. The frame should be of good sound pine or hemlock. The walls should be sheathed with a shiplap or flooring and building paper and sided with clear pine half-inch siding. The height of the first story is 9½ feet, of the second story 8½ feet. There is a cellar under the kitchen and dining-room, seven feet deep.

The interior finish on the first floor is of clear white pine, finished natural, and painted pine on second floor.

It all depends on the inmates of such a house whether it improves with age, or, on the other hand, from carelessness and indifference it is allowed to go to rack and ruin. A house can be built after the plan as here described for from $1,000 to $1,200.

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GERM-PROOF HOSPITAL.

There Will Be No Place in the Whole Building Where a Speck of Dirt Can Rest.

St. Louis is to have a germ-proof hospital, the first of its kind ever built. There will not be a crack or corner in the whole building in which a germ or speck of dirt can rest.

Bacteria, microbes and the other insidious agents of disease will be fought scientifically. The patients will find the institution stairless. This feature is new in hospital building, and very necessary. When it is necessary for attendants to go from one floor to another or for patients to be moved, gradual inclines will do away with the labor of climbing steps.

It will be impossible for dust to find lodgment in this institution. The floors, ceilings and corners of the rooms and halls will be coved or rounded at the ceilings and floors. There will be no friendly crevices for the dust to settle in. This, too, is a new feature. It expedites the cleaning of a room and insures the absolute removal of the most minute particle of dirt and dust.

Floors of vitrified tile and wainscoting of enameled brick will be used. The hospital will be absolutely fireproof. The ventilation will be such as to give the greatest amount of fresh air possible. There will be an abundance of sunlight. These features are to be pronounced.

The system of sterilization to be used will be extensive and complete. It will embrace even the laundry. Every drop of water, hot or cold, will be thoroughly sterilized. There will be the latest invention for the sterilization of the clothes of the surgeons and nurses, as well as for all bandages and instruments. Into a machine capable of having live steam at a temperature of 1,000 degrees turned on must make everything go. There will be absolutely no chance for any germ to live or be conveyed by contact.—Chicago American

The Wheel In Many Tongues.

Here is an amusing linguistic consultation on the subject of the denomination of the velocipede in different languages: In French it is called celerifere and velosifere. Then came the words bicycle, bicyclette, velocee, and at last velo. The word became, which has also been given to it, is taken from the Argot. Its etymology is unknown. It signifies simply machine. In Italian it is called velocifero, velocipede and bicicletta. The same in Spanish. In Germany it is farrad or simply rad, just as in English they say wheel. The Chinese call it sometimes gaugma, which means foreign horse, and sometimes fei chai, flying machine. They also call it tzu tzun, carriage that goes without horse. But the palm must be given to the Flemish. In addition to the appellations snelwiel, voetwiel, etc., some of the wags on the banks of the Escault have baptized this winged contraption with the centipede name, Cewielsnelrijroelttrappendneusdrekergestel!

How Mexicans Make Ice.

In one of the highest valleys of Oaxaca, Mexico, at an elevation of 8,000-9,000 feet, there is a flourishing ice industry, which is based on the well-known principle of the reduction of temperature by radiation of temperature during the night. The ground is covered with a large number of shallow wooden troughs, which are filled with water, and during the winter nights a film of not more than one-eighth of an inch in thickness is formed. The ice is removed on the following morning, shoveled into holes in the ground, and then covered with earth. It rapidly solidifies and is then cut into blocks and sent by mules to the cities below, where it is readily sold.

Flow of Artesian Wells.

Artesian wells have a daily period of ebb and flow, as well as the ocean tides, only the process is reversed. The time of greatest flow of an artesian well is the period of low tide in the ocean.

The Oldest Banknote.

This note is in the possession of the Bank of England. It is dated December 19, 1699, and is for 555 pounds, but on account of its age same is made very valuable. One of the oldest and most valuable stomach medicines before the public is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. For the past fifty years it has been the standard of such remedies for dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, nervousness or insomnia. It will effect a cure when faithfully taken.

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B.—Beautifully! Although I run over two pedestrians and three bicycles and knocked two wagons into a ditch, my motor was not at all injured and I arrived just on time.—Fliegende Blaetter.

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Qualified Praise.—Brown—"Do you believe in sea bathing?" Robinson—"Oh, yes, I think so. Many people have been known to survive it."—Town Topics.

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Weekly Excursion Sleepers leave St. Louis via Katy Flyer (M. K. & T. Ry.) every Tuesday at 8:16 p. m. for San Antonio, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

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Having hitched your wagon to a star, keep your eye peeled lest the star run away with your wagon before you have time to climb into the same.—Detroit Journal.

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This question arises every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, delicious and healthful. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry, Strawberry. At your grocers. 10c.

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Sometimes she is nearly overcome by faintness, dizziness, and palpitation of the heart; then that bearing-down feeling is dreadfully wearing.

Her husband says, "Now, don't get the blues! You will be all right after you have taken the doctor's medicine."

But she does not get all right. She grows worse day by day, until all at once she realizes that a distressing female complaint is established.

Her doctor has made a mistake.

She loses faith; hope vanishes; then comes the morbid, melancholy, overlasting blues. She should have been told just what the trouble was, but probably she withheld some information from the doctor, who, therefore, is unable to accurately locate her particular illness.

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HAZELHURST JOTTINGS.

Gus. Selk, who has been chief engineer for the Yawkey Lumber Co. for some time, went to Minneapolis last week to accept a good position there. Gus. is popular here and we regret that he leaves us; but we wish him well.

A man from parts unknown, while riding on one of the lumber company's logging trains last week, met with a severe accident. He sustained a compound fracture of one leg. He was taken to Rhinelander.

Hans Olson is suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. His neighbors and friends extend hearty sympathy to him and his family, and hope for his restoration to health.

The chicken pie social given at the hall last week was well patronized and netted over twenty-two dollars. The children may look for some nice things Christmas.

Quite a number from here have been making use of the hunting season. Several deer have been shot in this neighborhood, but many more have been seen.

A two story eighteen by twenty-eight foot extension is being added to the southwest wing of the hotel—one result of McKinley's election.

Mr. Courtois has moved his family to Oconto Falls and Mr. John Freeman has taken up his abode in the house that Mr. Courtois occupied.

C. C. Yawkey spent part of last week in Rhinelander on business and went from there to his home in Wausau to spend Sunday.

Mr. Danforth of Minocqua, was taking photographic shots at two of Yawkey's camps last Saturday.

L. H. Wheeler returned Sunday from the adjourned meeting of the county board.

Rev. Farmer, presiding elder, will preach at the church next Friday evening.

Frank Bryant left Sunday for a visit at his home in Morley, Michigan.

R. Bundy brought a young wife to town last week. Congratulations.

The mill has closed for repairs. It will be closed about a month.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Recorded With the Register of Deeds for Week Ending Tuesday, November 26.

Following are the real estate transfers in Oneida county for two weeks ending Tuesday Nov. 26, as recorded in the office of the register of deeds and furnished us by the deputy. Miss Pearl Curran:

John W. Starr to C. L. Schoepke, warranty deed, Part of NW¼ SE¼ Sec. 18-35-11	$550
Albert Bud and wife to Byron H. Wood, warranty deed, Lot 2, Sec. 15-39-11 and Lot 3, Sec. 27-39-11	$1
Timothy Lennon et. al. to O. E. Barber and W. D. Kollock, warranty deed, W½ SE¼ Sec. 2 and SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 3-39-8	$200
John Blomstrom and wife to August Johnson, warranty deed, Lot 7, Blk. 10 of South Park addition to city	$241.50
J. E. McGowney and wife to Lake Shore Lbr. Co., warranty deed, Lots 3 N½ Lot 4, Blk. 4 of village of Tomahawk Lake	$310
Gustave Peterson and wife to Nels Johnson, warranty deed, NW¼ N W¼ Sec. 27 and Lots 3 Sec. 22-36-9	$200
Halvor Olson and wife to August Cooper, warranty deed, Lot 3, Blk 5 S. H. Alban's 2nd add. to city	$120
Brown Bros. Lbr. Co. to Joseph Busch, warranty deed, E½ NW¼ Sec. 6-37-9	$197.77
F. J. Walthers and wife to Luther C. Wood, warranty deed, NE¼ NW¼ NW¼ NE¼ Sec. 34-38-6	$1
R. N. VanDoren to C. M. Jelloff, warranty deed, undivided 1½ Lot 1 Sec 14 and Lot 1, Sec. 23-35-10	$500
Matt. Stapleton and wife to Willie Knickerman, warranty deed, NW ¼ NE¼ Sec. 18-36-10 E	$100
A. W. Brown and wife to Jos. Lacr, quit claim deed, SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 24 NE¼ NE¼ Sec. 26-38-10 E	$37

The Dr. E. Hicks 1901 Almanac.

Whatever may be said of the scientific causes upon which the Rev. Dr. H. Hicks bases his yearly forecasts of storm and weather, it is a remarkable fact that specific warnings of every great storm, flood, cold wave and drouth, have been plainly printed in his now famous Almanac for many years. The latest startling proof of this fact was the destruction of Galveston, Texas, on the very day named by Prof. Hicks in his 1900 Almanac, as one of disaster by storm along the Gulf coasts. The 1901 Almanac, by far the finest, most complete, and most beautiful yet published, is now ready. This remarkable book of near two hundred pages, splendidly illustrated with charts and half-tone engravings, goes as a premium to every subscriber who pays one dollar a year for Prof. Hicks' Journal, Word and Works. The Almanac alone is sent prepaid for only 25 cents. Order from Word and Works Publishing Company, 2201 Locust Street, St. Louis, Mo.

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O18-April-'01.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
November 8th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court at Rhinelander, Wisconsin, on December 21st, 1900, viz: William Peter who made H. E. No. 7474 for the SE¼ NW¼ Sec. 18 and NE¼ of NW¼ Sec. 19 T. 39 N. R. 9 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andrew Mohr, of Rhinelander, Wis.; August Fertig, of Robins, Wis.; John Dorsch, of Rhinelander, Wis.; Joe Bush, of Rhinelander Wis.

EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.
64-N15-D20.

Timber Land. Act June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Wausau, Wis., Aug. 30, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Edward W. Whitson, of Tomahawk, county of Lincoln, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 131, for the purchase of the W½ SW¼ of sec. Ion No. 10, in Township No. 37 N., Range No. 6 E., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Wausau, Wis., on Saturday, the 19th day of January, 1901.

He names as witnesses: H. A. Johnson, E. Hake, H. A. Lockhart, D. C. Jones, all of Tomahawk, Wis.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of January, 1901.

10w-N15-J17. EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
November 7th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court at Rhinelander, Wisconsin, on December 22nd, 1901 viz: Jesse Taylor who made H. E. No. 9251 for the S½ NE¼ and N½ SE¼ Sec. 12, T. 39, N. R. 5 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Lamb, of Somo, Wisconsin; John Mettlink, of Tomahawk, Wisconsin; Robert Brown, of Tomahawk, Wisconsin; Bert Fitzgerald, of Tomahawk, Wisconsin.

EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.
6w-N15-Dec29.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
October, 16, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court at Rhinelander, Wisconsin, on December 1st, 1900 viz. Thos. Sharman, who made H. E. No. 10076 for the Lot 5, Sec. 31, and Lot 2, Sec. 32 T. 39 N. R. 8 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles Nikols, Hugh D. McMillan, George Ames and Walter Kerler, all of Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.
6t-O25-N29.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
October 11th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court at Rhinelander, Wisconsin, on November 24th, 1900, viz Jacob Hartman, who made H. E. No. 7576, for the N½ SE¼ Sec. 26, T. 38 N., R. 9 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Rudolph Horn, William Horn, John Beyer, Mike Johnson, all of Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.
O11-N6-Nov22.

Timber Land. Act June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Wausau, Wis., Aug. 24th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Henry A. Johnson, of Tomahawk, county of Lincoln, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 129, for the purchase of the Lot 3 of section No. 3 in Township No. 36 N, Range No. 6 E., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Wausau, Wis., on Saturday, the 19th day of January, 1901.

He names as witnesses: E. W. Whitson, H. R. Lockhart, Dave Jones, Ed. Hake, all of Tomahawk, Wis.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of January, 1901.

10w-N15-J17. EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
October 27th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court at Rhinelander, Wisconsin, on December, 10th, 1900, viz: Dora Fleet who made H. E. No. 7595, for the SW ¼ NE¼ Sec. 8, T. 38, N. R. 10 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Peter Holewinski, Jas. G. Fleet, Jasper Marks, Charles Robbins, all of Robbins, Wisconsin.

6t-N1-26 EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
Oct. 26th, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court at Rhinelander, Wisconsin, on December 8th, 1900, viz Charles Hagen who made H. E. No. 7441 for the SE ¼ SE¼ Sec. 27 and Lots 1 and 2 Sec. 34 T. 39 N. R. 8 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Ames, Henry Weideman, Dave Gustafson, James Gaines, all of Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

6t-N15 EDGAR T. WHEELOCK, Register.

To the Policy Holders of the Penn Mutual Life Ins. Co.

Hereby, and to all others. You are hereby notified that the agency for this Company heretofore held by Wm. A. Clark, of Rhinelander, has been terminated, and that from and after October 22nd, 1900, Mr. M. A. Raymond, of Rhinelander, Cashier of Merchant's State Bank, is the only representative of the Co. to whom money should be paid for Rhinelander and adjacent counties, unless such money be remitted to Milwaukee office of Co. at 506 Pabst Bldg. WM. B. MACOMBER, Manager.

IN PROBATE.

IN PROBATE.—ONEIDA COUNTY COURT:

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the County Judge's Office in Rhinelander, in said County on the 4th day of Dec. 1900, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Augusta Grender for appointment as administratrix of the estate of Reinhard Grender deceased.

Dated Nov. 5, 1900.
N15-2t LEVI J. BILLINGS, County Judge.

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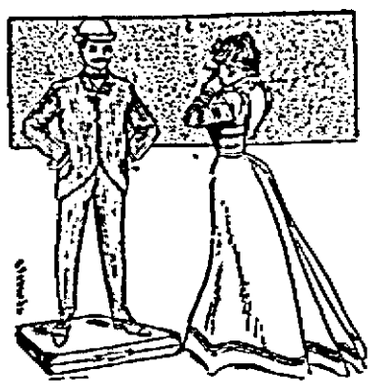

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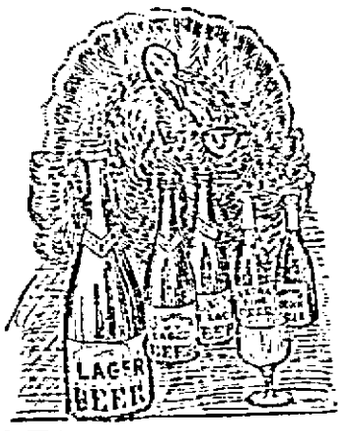

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